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Salvation Army, city have tentative deal for a shelter

By MARK CAMPBELL
Courier staff writer

Although a memorandum of operation must still be signed by the City of Madison and the Salvation Army, it appears that a deal is close to begin providing a warming shelter for the city's homeless population at the Salvation Army Center as early as the middle of next week.

Madison Mayor Bob Courtney met with Salvation Army officials Tuesday afternoon and told City Council Tuesday night that the city has reached a tentative deal for the Salvation Army to resume providing a warming shelter for the city's homeless population at its center at Main and Walnut streets by Dec. 11.

Courtney said Wednesday that Lt. Justin Hartley told him the city would have a copy of the memorandum by Wednesday and that if the terms are satisfactory to both the city and Salvation Army, a deal would be finalized. The mayor still had not received the document shortly before noon but said the city had met the organization's demands and that he expected a deal to be reached.

"We left that meeting with the basic construct of the agreement and they said we should have the memorandum by today," Courtney said. "At that point all we would need would be to vet and sign off on the document that will govern how we move forward this year."

A brief conversation with Justin Hartley on Wednesday morning indicated that the memorandum was still being drafted and would still need approval by his superiors in Indianapolis as well as the city.

Hartley, who along with his wife, Lt. Stephanie Hartley, ministers the Madison center, said they have worked with the city to develop a plan to serve the city's homeless and are "shooting for something by next week." However, he stopped short of saying they had reached a deal.

"We're trying to work together to figure out something but we still need a memorandum of understanding signed," Justin Hartley said.

Courtney outlined for the council Tuesday night what he sees as having been accomplished.

"We've been able to accomplish three things: the volunteer resources, the financial resources and now an actual timetable for reopening … it seems like we've been moving in the right direction and I'm happy with where we're landing and next week in particular," Courtney said.

After years of opening its doors to the homeless on cold nights, the Salvation Army announced last month that it had neither the financial resources nor personnel to do that this year.

With a dangerously cold front dropping temperatures into the teens last month, Courtney opened city facilities as an emergency "life-saving" measure and called a meeting of local church leaders, non-profits, concerned citizens and Salvation Army officials to come up with a solution to the problem.

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There's a parade heading...

A Very Merry Madison Christmas Parade 2018 photos Madison Courier.

...your way this Saturday!

By MARK CAMPBELL
Courier staff report

With the weather forecast calling for sunshine and a high of 46 degrees Saturday, downtown Madison will still look, feel and sound very much like Christmas when the city stages what might just be the biggest ever Very Merry Madison Christmas Parade on Main Street.

Scheduled at 11 a.m. Saturday, the parade will feature 55 units, including seven massive balloons, 21 floats and marching bands from Shawe, Southwestern and Madison Consolidated High Schools.

Last year, residents and visitors lined both sides of Main Street during similarly warm weather, but high winds grounded some of the most massive balloons from participating because of their size and maneuverability concerns in the windy conditions.

Volunteers hope that won't be the case Saturday, when the line-up begins at 9 a.m. with balloons being filled with helium at about 10 a.m., floats being judged at 10:30 a.m. and the step-off led by the Madison Police and Fire departments at 11 a.m.

The parade will begin at Jefferson and Main streets and travel west on Main Street to Mill Street with local schools, churches, organizations, businesses and industries as well as bands, kings and queens and other pageant winners represented culminating with the float featuring Santa at the end of the procession.

Before, during and after the parade, local shops and businesses will be open for holiday shoppers and Santa will appear from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. at the Santa Cottage near the Comfort Station in the 200 block of West Main Street.

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Trimble OKs planning, zoning ordinance

By COLLLIN OVERTON
Courier staff writer

A revised planning and zoning ordinance finally passed Trimble County Fiscal Court Monday night, but not all parts of the county will take part.

Magistrates Kenny Green, Kirby Melvin and Chris Liter out voted Magistrate J.D. Jones and Judge Executive Todd Pollack 3-2 to pass the second reading of a revised zoning ordinance, putting to bed an issue that's been divisive in the county for three years.

Fiscal Court passed a first reading of the revised ordinance Nov. 4 and voted down a motion to repeal it at the same meeting, after residents voiced a need for zoning laws to keep out solid waste farms.

The court approved the first version of the ordinance in November 2018 after two years of work on a set of regulations. Opposition from residents over permits and restrictions led the court to suspend enforcement in January 2019 until August and then conduct a first reading to repeal in July. When a second reading to repeal came up in August, Magistrate Green motioned to table the vote.

The Trimble County Planning and Zoning Commission has since worked with Tom FitzGerald, an attorney with a long history of land use cases and director of the Kentucky Resources Council, to make the ordinance less restrictive and still protect against certain land uses.

The City of Milton opted out of the ordinance last year. When Pollock asked Milton City Commission if they wanted to be a part of the revised ordinance on Nov. 14, their answer was the same. Milton Commissioner Troy Alexander told Pollock at the Nov. 14 meeting that everyone he spoke to in the area "is not for it."

The situation is similar to Carroll County's, but flipped, Magistrate Green pointed out at Monday's meeting. While the City of Carrollton has zoning laws it enforces, the county does not, he said.

The City of Bedford, meanwhile, voted to adopt the ordinance this summer and will cut whatever doesn't apply, Mayor Joe Robinson said Tuesday.

The first order of business for the county: finding a zoning administrator.

"I think we have a lot of holes," Pollock said at Monday night's meeting. "And I think the biggest expense is going to be enforcing it, and hiring somebody to do the management of it. Something of this magnitude needs to be dealt with very seriously."

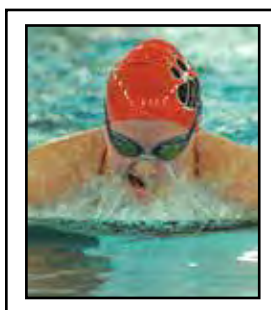
The solution for now, Pollock said Tuesday, is to hand enforcement duties over to solid waste coordinator Michaela Dziedzic, who has found eight illegal dumps in her few months working for the county. The court was reluctant to tack this on to her duties given her high job performance and low pay, but Pollock said he was confident she could do the job.

"Out here, with no zoning in the past, we're going to have people who do not want to comply, and we're going to have to have somebody in the field," he said.

Magistrate Liter pointed out that nearby Henry County, Kentucky, issues about 13 zoning permits a month. Trimble's would be much lower, he said, so that aspect of the job wouldn't be too time-consuming. Pollock said the county will likely hire an administrator to only handle zoning in the near future.

In other business at Monday's meeting, Pollock brought forth a motion to place a street light at the intersection of U.S. 42 West and Equity Drive, next to the Trimble County Public Library and Poppy's General Store.

A light would help with visibility for drivers making turns and cost the county $10 to $12 a month, with free installation, he said.



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Gibson County's 2 paths to new jail: $31.2M and $38.9M

By ANDREA HOWE
Princeton Daily Clarion

PRINCETON — A Gibson County jail task force agrees the county needs to build a new jail, but is divided over the best option to pursue, according to a Gibson County Jail Needs Assessment and Master Plan presented by DLR Group Tuesday.

One option proposes a new 85,028 square-foot 288-bed facility on seven to 10 acres in or near Princeton at an estimated cost of $38.9 million. The other option proposes a new 66,848 square-feet 200-bed facility at an estimated cost of $31.2 million, with the possibility of adding on to the facility in five to 10 years.

It will be up to Gibson County Commissioners to decide on the avenue they'll take and up to the Gibson County Council to fund the project.

"It's been a tough one," Board of Commissioners President Steve Bottoms said of the study. "I know we wanted to come out with a single recommendation. ...We're at the very beginning of this. ..."

The jail study was ordered by Gibson County Commissioners after the county jail was cited by the Indiana Department of Correction for non-compliance in two annual inspections and the county was named a defendant in a class-action federal lawsuit filed by the ACLU on behalf of jail inmates in early 2019. According to the federal court case records of the lawsuit, a pretrial settlement conference is scheduled in January, and the case is preliminarily scheduled to be tried in September 2020.

DLR Group partner Mark Van Allen presented the 64-page study to commissioners Tuesday morning. Van Allen reported the county jail, designed in 1988, does not comply with Indiana jail standards, nor the U.S. Department of Justice's standards for accessible design and it does not comply with the Prison Rape Elimination Act of 2003.

He reported that the jail census consistently exceeds its rated capacity, and told commissioners that in order to have a facility that will meet the county's needs for the next 20 years, the committee determined a facility with about 288 beds would be required.

The committee looked at several options, including using property the county owns on the north side of the existing jail to expand. Van Allen said that option would probably require a seven-story structure within the property footprint at a cost of about $41.2 million. A similar expansion to property just south of the jail would be about five stories, and cost the same, he projected.

The panel also considered building a new jail on seven to 10 acres in or near Princeton, but excluding the community corrections operations from the new build. That project would cost about $37.6 million.

Committee members include Judges Jeffrey Meade and Robert Krieg, Prosecutor Michael Cochren, Gibson County Councilmen Jay Riley, Derek McGraw and Jeremy Overton, Gibson County Sheriff Tim Bottoms, Gibson County Jail Commander Daryl Chamberlain, Gibson County Commissioner Steve Bottoms, Gibson County Economic Development Corporation board member Jeff Clark and Gibson County Attorney Jim McDonald.

2 vehicles separately hit same Brownsburg train; 1 killed

STATE BRIEFS

Indiana

BROWNSBURG — One person died and another was injured after two vehicles collided with the same train in separate crashes. The Hendricks County Sheriff's Office said that just before midnight Tuesday a car was struck by the train near Brownsburg, an Indianapolis suburb west of the city. The impact toppled the car onto its side and left one person in the car with minor injuries. While officers were working to remove that car from the tracks, a sport-utility vehicle crashed into the same train at another intersection, killing one person in a SUV. Police said the SUV struck the train while it was stopped. Hendricks County police say they're investigating both crashes. WXIN reports the tracks where the crashes occurred don't have crossing arms.

Mother charged in death of son

FORT WAYNE — A Fort Wayne woman whose 5-month-old son died after she took him to a hospital with bruising and head trauma has been charged with neglect of a dependent. The (Fort Wayne) Journal Gazette reported Monday that the child was dead at Parkview Randallia Hospital minutes after Jasmine M. Johnson took him to the emergency room. Doctors told police that the child, who was unresponsive when Johnson, 30, brought him to the hospital had what appeared to be traumatic head injuries. The paper reported police said Johnson was charged after she told detectives she had been drinking all night and that when she awakened the child was on the floor.

Purdue to study electric board, scooter safety

WEST LAFAYETTE — Purdue University plans to study the safety of electric skateboards and scooters in response to a rash of serious injuries on campus. Purdue President Mitch Daniels said Monday the study would look at "the extreme safety issues" posed by electric skateboards, scooters and other personal electric vehicles. He said one student recently suffered a near-fatal accident while using an electric skateboard. Daniels said a task force will propose new policies for electric vehicles and study whether those should also include traditional, human-powered skateboards and bicycles. The Journal & Courier reported the panel is expected to look at possible speed limits, restrictions on hours of operation and helmet requirements. Purdue said campus police have received more than a dozen reports of serious personal injury accidents since the school year started.

House fire kills 8-month-old boy

FRANKFORT — Frankfort Fire Chief John Kirby said an 8-month-old boy who died in a house fire was in his crib on the first floor, and his father was unable to rescue him. The father and two other children escaped. Kirby said firefighters were called to the home shortly after 10 a.m. Monday and found the structure engulfed in flames. He said the fire started at the front of house and much of it was destroyed. The father, the two surviving children and a police officer were treated for smoke inhalation. The cause of the fire is under investigation.

4 charged in slaying of man found in lake

LAKE STATION — A man has been charged with murder in the stabbing death of a man and three others were charged with helping take the body to a northwest Indiana lake and throwing it into the water. The Times of Northwest Indiana reported Christian Mora, 19, of East Chicago is charged with killing Erik Lozano, 34, also of East Chicago. Charged with assisting a criminal are Adam M. Martin, 20, of Lake Station, Nathaniel Ostapchuk, 21, of Hammond and Casey Hall, 19, of Hammond. Police say Mora stabbed Lozano outside an East Chicago bank on Thanksgiving night before he and the others loaded the body into the trunk of a car, doused it with bleach and tossed it into the lake in Lake Station. The body was found by an area resident on Sunday.

Kentucky

Man charged with posing as officer

LONDON — Authorities arrested a man accused of posing as a police officer, pulling a woman over along a rural road and attempting to rape her at knifepoint. The Laurel County Sheriff's Office charged Walter Earl Darling, 46, with attempted rape, impersonating a peace officer and related charges Monday. Darling was pretending to be law enforcement when he sped up behind the victim's car on a highway near London in September, a statement from Sheriff John Root's office said. Darling turned on red and white flashing lights and made the woman pull onto a rural road before pulling into a hay field, deputies told news outlets. Darling is accused of then jumping into the back seat of her car with a large hunting knife and trying to attack her. The woman escaped and drove herself to a hospital when Darling got out to make a phone call, according to the sheriff.

Foster mother accused of burning baby

WINCHESTER — A woman is accused of pouring a hot drink on her 10-month-old foster child, causing extensive burns. News outlets report officers responding to a fast-food restaurant in Winchester Saturday were initially told that Ashley Neal of Mount Sterling fell and spilled the drink. She told police she didn't remember what happened. But authorities say surveillance video shows Neal appearing to intentionally pour the 150-degree drink on the child's head, and then seemingly staging the fall before bracing herself. Winchester Police Capt. James Hall said it's unknown why Neal may have wanted to harm the child. Hall said she's charged with first-degree criminal abuse. Police say Neal was caring for two other foster children and her two biological children. All have been removed from her care.

School coach gets prison for rape, photos

IRVINE — A former high school soccer coach has been sentenced to two years in prison for raping a player and sending nude images to minors. Andrew Hatton, 29, was sentenced Tuesday on charges of third-degree rape and distributing obscene matter to minors. He pleaded guilty to the charges in August as part of a deal. The former Estill County High School coach was accused of sending nude photos to three teen girls. One of them told police she and Hatton had sex. He was arrested in August 2018 and fired a day later. Authorities said the victims agreed to the prison term and didn't want to testify at Hatton's trial. Hatton also was ordered to register as a sex offender.

Mother, 2 others charged in sale of baby

BOWLING GREEN — Police have arrested three people who are accused of selling and buying a baby for $2,000. News outlets report Maria Domingo-Perez, 31, of Bowling Green is accused of selling her child for adoption to Pascual Jose Manuel, 45, and Catarina Jose Felipe, 37. Jail records didn't indicate whether they were represented by a lawyer who could comment for them. Bowling Green police said in a statement posted on Twitter that the department received information Monday from officials at an elementary school that a woman had given a child away. Officer Ronnie Ward said the baby was born in October. Police said the baby and Domingo Perez's four other children are in protective custody.

— The Associated Press

WEATHER

Sunrise: 7:45 a.m. Sunset: 5:21 p.m.
Temperature: high 50, low 38, mean 44, excess 14.9
Precipitation: 0.13 inches
Total, December: 0.8 inch
Precipitation, year: 48.81 inches
Barometer: 29.77 Rising
River level at IKE: 429.7 feet

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Charlie's Beat

Classical pianist virtuoso at Trinity Methodist this Friday

Stephanie Pestana was homeschooled in Grand Rapids, Michigan. She didn't have video games. She didn't have a TV in the house. She didn't have a lot of the distractions most kids today have. What she did have was a piano, and in due course, a cello.

"I started playing piano when I was 5 or 6," Stephanie said, "just picking out what I heard from records or whatever. I started formal lessons at age 7. Then at age 11, I picked up the cello and started playing in the Grand Rapids Youth Symphony.

"The Youth Symphony did legit stuff, full orchestral arrangements. It wasn't dumbed down because we were younger. I was first chair cello for a couple years, plus I was playing in string quartets.

"It was only natural I pursue music when I went to college. I got my undergrad at Michigan State and then a masters in Piano Performance at Indiana University. I just graduated last year, so I'm still in Bloomington, freelancing, gigging around, soaking up the amazing musical community there.

"I'm just enjoying a gap year and playing as much as I can. I've picked up the guitar and I'm playing a lot of folk music and singing. It's a departure for me, but it's a fun change of pace.

"Next year I'll probably start on a doctorate degree and maybe take a trip to Europe. But my ultimate goal is to have a career in piano, eventually teaching at a university. Lately I've been doing a lot of recitals, mostly church music series.

"Trinity Methodist Church is sponsoring me for this upcoming recital, and I really appreciate their support. The show is Friday, Dec. 6 at 7 p.m. I'll be doing two Chopin etudes, a Mozart sonata that's very operatic and beautiful, then a Ravel piece and a Schumann.

Stephanie Pestana

"I believe the musical experience is different for each listener. It's a very individual communication method. Some may listen to a piece and smile, while others may shed a tear. I try to focus on speaking through the music, showing people the beauty and goodness in the world.

"The fact that music can uplift is the main goal. We need to counter the dark in the world and provide hope. That's what I think music can do, and what I'm trying to accomplish when I play."

If you love classical music, this is your opportunity to see it played at the highest professional level. For a preview of her skill, enter the name 'Stephanie Pestana' in a YouTube search and watch a few minutes. It's mesmerizing.

On another note, you might notice in the calendar that Mad Paddle Brewery is having music on Friday and Saturday nights. Both of these shows are fundraisers for the Boys & Girls Clubs with a $10 cover charge; shows start at 6 p.m. Jimmy Davis kicks it off Friday, plus the Mad Oak food truck will be there. Joe Hanna & Chris Tolbert play Saturday, plus college football will be on the TVs. Come on out and support this great cause.

Stephanie Pestana

THIS WEEK IN MUSIC

Thursday, December 5:
Off Broadway Taproom – Two Buck Chuck
Hippies Music in Vernon – Songwriters Open Stage

Friday, December 6:
Trinity Methodist – Stephanie Pestana piano concert (7 p.m.)
Off Broadway Taproom – Joel Shewmake
Mad Paddle – Jimmy Davis Fundraiser for Boys/Girls Club
Rembrandts – Leonard Miller at the piano
Red Roaster – Chestnuts sing Christmas tunes (6 p.m.)

Saturday, December 7:
Off Broadway Taproom – Troubadours of Divine Bliss
Mad Paddle – Joe Hanna & Chris Tolbert Fundraiser for Boys/Girls Club
Thomas Family Winery – Anthony Ray Wright
Rembrandts – Leonard Miller at the piano
VFW – Southern Compromise
Red Bicycle Hall – Justin Wells with Cody Ikerd & Adam Lee
Goodwill Cons. Club – Bluegrass music (5 p.m.)
Village Lights – John Sheckler on dulcimer (1 p.m.)

Sunday, December 8:
Thomas Family Winery – Stan Attenberger's Christmas show (1 p.m.)
Mad Paddle Brewery – Erik Brunner
Off Broadway Taproom – Davy or Daryl

HOT TIP OF THE WEEK:

These Hot Tips can be hard to do when we have SO MUCH great live music. You should check out Joel Shewmake at the Taproom on Friday. I saw him at House of Jane and he's amazing. Saturday, again at the Taproom, the Troubadours of Divine Bliss are back after a long absence. There's a great country show at the Red Bike Saturday, and Anthony Ray Wright at Thomas Family Winery is the real deal, if you haven't seen him yet. Finally on Sunday, you could start at Thomas Family at 1, move to Mad Paddle at 4, and on to the Taproom at 7 and enjoy an entire day of live music!

Charlie Rohlfing is a retired advertising man and partner in The Red Bicycle Hall music venue. Look for his distinctive fedora bobbing above the crowd, anywhere live local music is happening.

Lineup for 2019 Very Merry Madison Christmas Parade

Here is the parade lineup for Saturday:
1. Madison Police Department
2. Madison Fire Department
3. Hanover Volunteer Fire Department
4. Humvees
5. Title Banner
6. German American Pig Balloon
7. Madison Theatre Float
8. Southwestern High School Marching Band
9. Super ATV Snowflake Balloon
10. Pope John Elementary Float
11. Trinity United Methodist Float
12. Shoe Sensation Walkers
13. Radio Flyer Car
14. Rudolph Balloon
15. All Kids Can Float
16. Girls Inc. Walkers
17. Clifty Falls Smokey Bear Truck
18. Nucor Float
19. Santa Workshop Float
20. Madison Junior High Peer Counselor Walkers
21. Lydia Middleton Elementary Float
22. Canaan Academy Bus
23. North Madison Christian Snowman Balloon
24. Madison Elks Lodge Truck
25. Madison Junior High The Makers Walkers
26. Anderson Elementary Float
27. WIKI radio Float
28. Polaris with Bucky
29. Ohio Celtic Society Float
30. River Valley Church Float
31. King's Daughters' Health Brainy Smurf Balloon
32. 4-H Dog Club Walkers
33. Liberty Christian Church Float
34. Miss Agribusiness Truck
35. Cub Scout Float
36. Madison Junior High Cheerleaders Walkers
37. Ole Red Barn Truck
38. Sartec K-9 Unit Float
39. Shawe Band of Gold
40. Fit For The King Flyers
41. Horst's Bakery Truck
42. Girl Scout Float
43. Madison Junior High Fifth Grade Walkers
44. Ryker's Ridge Elementary Float
45. Mires School of Dance Royalty Walkers
46. Madison Precision Yogi Balloon
47. Madison Regatta Queen Float
48. Salvation Army Truck
49. Deputy Elementary Float
50. R&J's Basting Float
51. Madison High School Marching Cubs
52. Arvin Sango Santa Balloon
53. Grandma Got Ran Over Float
54. Santa Float
55. The End Banner

• Salvation Army

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The city on Nov. 8 opened its Comfort Station on Main Street to the homeless and later shifted the operation to the heated restrooms at Bicentennial Park on nights when the weather was forecast to drop below 32.

It was understood in discussions between members of the community and the Army that the Salvation Army needed funding and staffing to continue running a warming shelter as it has in the past. Courtney said both resources have since been identified and pledged, and the process should allow the city to close its emergency shelter with homeless once again seeking refuge at the Salvation Army maybe as soon as Wednesday, Dec. 11 on nights when the temperature drops dangerously low.

Thirty people have attended volunteer training at the Salvation Army and are now going through background checks to address the staffing needs and $10,000 has been pledged by individuals and local industries to help, Courtney said.

"River Valley Resources has been handling the volunteer coordination to identify individuals to go through the training with the Salvation Army that's actually necessary to supervise their shelter at their location and myself and my team have been handling the fundraising initiative so that we can provide assurances to the Salvation Army that they have the two things they have been lacking which caused them concerns earlier and at one time prompted them to consider not opening the shelter at all — the volunteer resources and the financial resources to operate through the winter," Courtney said. "I'm pretty confident we have both of those now."

"We are trying to coordinate how they would be managed through shifts or through supervision of the shelter on the nights they would be open ... more to come but our target is to have the Salvation Army shelter reopen mid-next week, Dec. 11," Courtney said.

Courtney said the Salvation Army shelter should be able to serve the homeless — about five to seven people had been using the city's facilities nightly — with the exception of a week when the charity prepares for its Christmas program because the space is needed for gathering and coordinating the toys and items in care packages distributed to families in need. That might not be an issue if weather that week is warm, and if cold weather strikes, the city would reopen the restroom facility building at Bicentennial Park.

Shifting the homeless to the shelter will also clear the way for the city to use all of Bicentennial Park for its Wonderland in the Park event Dec. 13-14, when the park will be decorated in a holiday theme with a huge snow globe, ice skating rink and gingerbread house.

"Everything that was going on at the park was still going to happen anyway, we've just got to manage it," Courtney said. "We still have some dates at the Salvation Army where their facility is not going to be available so we'll just have to manage that, too. If we have frigid temperatures that week we will revert back to Bicentennial Park but that will get us past the Wonderland in the Park on Dec. 13 and Dec. 14. We do have a commitment from them, we have the volunteer resources that are being lined up and we have the financial resources so I'm very happy with the outcome."

At the same time, Courtney noted Wednesday morning, that the deal currently proposed for this winter is just a resolution to the problems the city and its homeless are facing this year.

"This doesn't solve this issue in the future and how we can address this issue going forward. We still need to do that," Courtney said. "We can't drop the ball on this again."

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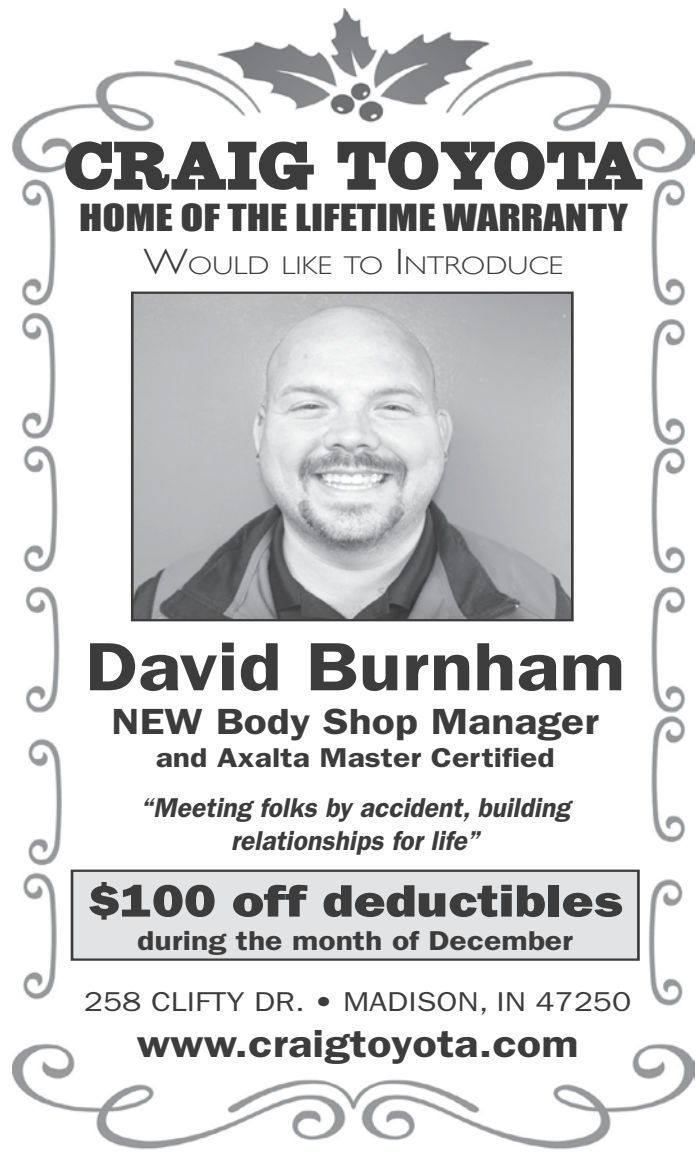
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OBITUARIES

Tracey Johnston

Tracey Gene Fisher Johnston, 58, of Tallahassee, Florida, and formerly of Madison, Indiana, died Tuesday, Nov. 26, 2019, in Tallahassee.

She was born Aug. 3, 1961 in Madison, to Edwin Brooks Fisher and Patricia Gene Patterson Fisher and enjoyed her childhood living in the country around Brooksburg, Indiana. She was a 1979 graduate of Madison Consolidated High School and a 1983 graduate of Purdue University with a bachelor's degree in environmental design.

She married Gary Johnston in 1985 in Lafayette, Indiana, and was an interior designer and budget analyst for custom home builders. She formerly owned a custom decorating business in Indiana for several years and was previously employed as a cash administrator for Lowe's. She also lived in Lafayette and Carmel in Indiana; Shreveport, Louisiana, and Pensacola and Tampa in Florida. She sang with the Sweet Adeline group while living in Indianapolis.

She was involved with the Boy Scouts and led several successful fundraising events that allowed the troop to buy new equipment and subsidize camping trips. She helped with teaching the boys so they could earn their merit badges.

Survivors include her mother and husband; a son, Stephen Johnston of Atlanta; a brother, Tim Fisher of Brooksburg; and nine nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her father.

Funeral services are 11 a.m. Thursday, Dec. 5, 2019, at First Baptist Church in Madison with visitation from 10 a.m. until time of service at the church. Burial is in Brooksburg Cemetery.

Memorial donations may be made to the American Cancer Society. Donation cards will be available at the church. Arrangements by Stewart & Hoagland Funeral Home in Scottsburg, Indiana. Online condolences at www.stewart-hoaglandfuneralhome.com

Jennifer Massie

Jennifer Jo Massie, 43, of North Vernon, Indiana, died Saturday, Nov. 30, 2019, at IU Health, Methodist Hospital in Indianapolis.

She was born Oct. 20, 1976, in Madison, Indiana, to Kenneth and Linda Hyden Massie. She was formerly a cook at Hanover Nursing Center. She moved to North Vernon in 2014 and loved to go fishing, camping and watch movies.

Survivors include her companion, Julie Sebree; her father of North Vernon; her sisters, Tina Fergison, of North Vernon and Tammy Lewis, of Austin, Indiana.

She was preceded in death by her mother.

Funeral services are 1 p.m. Friday, Dec. 6, 2019 at Lytle Welty Funeral Homes & Cremation Service, Vail Chapel, on Madison's hilltop with interment to follow in Grandview Memorial Gardens near Madison. Friends and family may call at the funeral home from 11 a.m. until time of service Friday.

The family requests memorial contributions be made to the funeral home. Contributions may be made at the Lytle Welty Funeral Homes or at lytlewelty.com.

Louis Proctor

Louis Hayes Proctor, 76, of Carrollton, Kentucky, died Monday, Dec. 2, 2019, at Norton Brownsboro Hospital in Louisville.

He was born May 4, 1943, in Gallatin County, Kentucky, to Victor Hayes Proctor and Essie Sarah Belle Marie Beach Proctor. He grew up in and was baptized in the former Sanders Christian Church in Sanders, Kentucky. He worked most of his life as an automotive mechanic but had also worked for the former Ison Brothers Furniture Factory in Carrollton.

Survivors include his wife, Mae Dell Mahoney Proctor; two daughters, Teresa Taulbee and Charlotte Horine, both of Carrollton; four brothers, Leslie Earl "L.E." Proctor of Batavia, Ohio, Victor Hayes Proctor Jr. of Vevay, Indiana, Vernon Proctor of Warsaw, Kentucky, and Ronald Proctor of Vevay, Indiana; two sisters, Brenda Sue Dodson of Carrollton and Linda Lou Proctor of Manchester, Tennessee, four grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a son Michael L. "Mike" Proctor; and brothers Richard Lee Proctor, Robert "Bobby" Proctor and James Proctor.

Funeral services are 7 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 5, 2019, at the Tandy-Eckler-Riley Funeral Home in Carrollton. Visitation will be from 5 p.m. until time of service Thursday at the funeral home. A graveside service will be at 11 a.m. Friday at the I.O.O.F. Cemetery in Carrollton.

Tandy-Eckler-Riley Funeral Home, www.tandyecklerrileyfuneralhome, is in charge of arrangements.

Gerald Purvis

Gerald Lee "Gary" Purvis, 62, of Columbus, Indiana and formerly of Trimble County, Kentucky, died Friday, Nov. 29, 2019, at his residence in Columbus.

He was born Jan. 4, 1957, in Madison, Indiana, to Herbert and Rosemary Jones Purvis. He married Carolyn Brooks and was retired from Laborers' International Union Local 741 in Columbus and enjoyed the outdoors with his grandkids and mushroom hunting with his brother, Doug.

Survivors include his wife; his children, Lisa Apolonio, Edgar Norton Jr., Johnny Norton and James Norton, all of Nelson County, Kentucky; his sisters, Kimberly Garcia, Martha Purvis and Linda Compton, all of Columbus, and Sandy Kendrick of Winter Haven, Florida; his brothers, Kevin Purvis and Donny Purvis, both of Columbus; and seven grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a sister, Terrie Purvis, and brothers Doug and Mike Purvis.

Funeral services are 2 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 5, 2019 at Lytle Welty Funeral Homes & Cremation Service, Vail Chapel, on Madison's hilltop with private interment in Moffett Cemetery in Milton, Kentucky. Friends and family may call at the funeral home from noon until time of service on Thursday.

James Turner Jr.

James C. Turner Jr., 79, of Milton, Kentucky, died Saturday, Nov. 30, 2019, at The Waters of Clifty Falls in Madison, Indiana.

He was born Aug. 30, 1940 in Jackson, Kentucky, to James C. Turner Sr. and Callie W. Watts Turner. He graduated from Leslie County High School in 1958, and had lived mostly in Jefferson County, Indiana, and Trimble County, Kentucky. He served in the U.S. Army from 1961 to 1962 and rose to the rate of Private First Class serving in the Bay of Pigs. On April 22, 1964 he was married to Shirley Lee Tipton and they had three children. He worked in construction all of his working years with the Carpenter's Union Local in Charlestown, Indiana. He was a member of New Hope Church of God in Wooster, Indiana, and the Major Samuel Woodfill Post No. 9 of the American Legion in Madison. His family affectionately called him Junior and he enjoyed fishing, woodworking, reading Westerns, and especially making canes and walking sticks.

Survivors include his companion, Shirley Lee Tipton of Milton; sons Christopher Troy Turner and Damon Turner, both of Milton; a daughter, Travis Louise Lauria; brothers, Kenny Turner of Bedford, Kentucky, George Turner of Milton and G.B. Turner of Vevay, Indiana; sisters Louise Suter and Cassie Marcum, both of Deputy, Indiana, and Thelma Marcum of Carrollton, Kentucky; and six grandchildren, five great-grandchildren and several nieces, nephews and other relatives.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a granddaughter, Crista Edwards; brothers Tommy Turner and O.V. Turner, and sisters Beulah Elkins, Eulah May Turner and Cledia Morgan.

Friends may visit from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. Friday, Dec.6, 2019, at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre in Madison. A final salute will be conducted at 7 p.m. Friday with military honors to follow by the Major Samuel Woodfill Post No. 9 of the American Legion at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Salvation Army. Cards are available at the funeral home. Online condolences, www.morgan-nay.com

JEFFERSON SHERIFF

ARRESTS

Sunday, December 1

3:10 p.m. Daniel Eugene Ray, 45, Hanover, arrested on charges of burglary and theft.

3:10 p.m. Gerald Wayne Mahoney, Jr., 28, arrested on charges of burglary and theft.

CRIME

Sunday, December 1

11:08 a.m. Unwanted subject in the 200 block of West LaGrange Road, Hanover.

11:53 a.m. Domestic violence on West Horizon Drive.

12:15 p.m. Suspicious vehicle in the 3000 block of North Bevcher Drive.

3:10 p.m. Burglary in progress in the 1000 block of East Telegraph Hill Road. Arrests made.

3:55 p.m. Domestic battery in the 200 block of Cardinal Court.

6:24 p.m. Criminal mischief in the 6000 block of North JPG Bomb Assembly Road.

7:17 p.m. Suspicious vehicle in the 100 block of West JPG Ordnance Drive.

11:46 p.m. Suspicious person or circumstance in the 400 block of West LaGrange Road, Hanover.

Monday, December 2

3:28 a.m. Suspicious vehicle in the 1000 block of East Broad Road.

10:45 a.m. Case follow-up in the 4000 block of North U.S. 421.

1:38 p.m. Threats or threatening behavior in the 100 block of North Willow Drive.

2:05 p.m. Case follow-up in the 3000 block of North Audubon Park Drive.

3:24 p.m. Harassment in the 1000 block of West JPG Niblo Road.

5:19 p.m. Case follow-up in the 3000 block of North Audubon Park Drive.

5:58 p.m. Vandalism in the 800 block of South Goldenrod Lane.

7:20 p.m. Domestic incident in the 200 block of West Skyline Drive.

TRAFFIC

Sunday, December 1

7:28 a.m. Car v. deer accident on West State Road 250, Deputy.

8:35 a.m. Personal injury accident in the 10000 block of West State Road 256, Lexington.

Monday, December 2

11:38 a.m. Property damage accident on East State Road 250, Canaan.

7:49 p.m. Traffic stop in the 400 block of East LaGrange Road, Hanover. Warning issued.

10:42 p.m. Traffic stop on Second and Main Cross streets, Hanover.

10:54 p.m. Traffic stop in the 100 block of West LaGrange Road, Hanover. Warning issued.

Tuesday, December 3

3:57 a.m. Traffic stop in the 100 block of West LaGrange Road, Hanover. Warning issued.

4:03 a.m. Traffic stop in the 200 block of East LaGrange Road, Hanover.

4:10 a.m. Traffic stop in the 100 block of West LaGrange Road, Hanover. Warning issued.

GENERAL

Sunday, December 1

8:39 a.m. Animal problem in the 4000 block of West Ten Cent Road, Hanover.

11:06 p.m. Assist other agency in the 200 block of Bank Street.

Monday, December 2

4:09 a.m. Security check in the 1000 block of West JPG Niblo Road.

2:20 p.m. Animal problem in the 5000 block of North Graham Road.

2:46 p.m. Transport to the 1000 block of North State Road 62.

2:57 p.m. Assist motorist on State Road 7 and State Road 62.

Tuesday, December 3

12:13 a.m. Assist other agency in the 100 block of West Main Street, Hanover.

MADISON POLICE

ARRESTS

Sunday, December 1

13:06 p.m. Kenneth Glenn Ledbetter, 36, arrested on a charge of public intoxication.

Monday, December 2

8:10 p.m. Tammy Stewart, arrested on charges of criminal trespassing and theft.

CRIME

Sunday, December 1

1:06 p.m. Suspicious person or circumstance on Cragmont Street and Johnson Court. Arrest made.

2:41 p.m. Case follow-up in the 100 block of Taft Drive.

3:07 p.m. Suicide attempt or suicidal person, Madison.

3:41 p.m. Unwanted subject in the 500 block of Jefferson Street.

3:47 p.m. Suspicious person or circumstance on Vaughn Drive and West Street.

4:58 p.m. Theft in the 200 block of Mouser Street.

7:37 p.m. Harassment in the 1000 block of Clifty Drive.

10:54 p.m. Assault or battery in the 200 block of Bank Street.

Monday, December 2

6:58 a.m. Breaking and entering into a vehicle in the 400 block of Highland Drive.

7:23 a.m. Breaking and entering into a vehicle in the 200 block of Crestwood Drive.

7:35 a.m. Trespassing in the 200 block of West Main Street.

7:53 a.m. Suspicious person or circumstance in the 300 block of Clifty Drive.

10:21 a.m. Fraud in the 200 block of Clifty Drive.

2:34 p.m. Suspicious person or circumstance in the 200 block of West Main Street.

3:45 p.m. Case follow-up in the 200 block of West Cardinal Court.

4:32 p.m. Case follow-up in the 200 block of East Ivy Tech Drive.

4:42 p.m. Domestic battery on South State Road 62, Hanover.

5:31 p.m. Burglar alarm in the 400 block of Clifty Drive.

5:36 p.m. Suspicious person or circumstance in the 100 block of West Second Street.

5:48 p.m. Case follow-up on Skyline Drive.

6:51 p.m. Suspicious person or circumstance in the 1000 block of Clifty Drive.

8:10 p.m. Shoplifting in the 500 block of Ivy Tech Drive. Arrest made.

Tuesday, December 3

3:37 a.m. Suspicious vehicle in the 400 block of East Street.

TRAFFIC

Sunday, December 1

8:35 a.m. Personal injury accident in the 10000 block of West State Road 256, Lexington.

9:20 a.m. Traffic stop in the 1000 block of Clifty Drive. Warning issued.

10:58 a.m. Traffic stop in the 300 block of Clifty Drive. Warning issued.

11:50 a.m. Traffic stop on Main and Mill streets. Warning issued.

1:46 p.m. Leaving scene of accident in the 500 block of Ivy Tech Drive.

3:11 p.m. Property damage accident on Ivy Tech and Clifty drives.

5:23 p.m. Parking problem in the 1000 block of East First Street.

11:13 p.m. Traffic stop in the 700 block of Clifty Drive. Warning issued.

Monday, December 2

11:02 a.m. Special detail or patrol in the 2000 block of Windridge Drive.

3:29 p.m. Traffic stop on General Dorten and Ivy Tech Drive. Citation issued.

3:40 p.m. Traffic stop in the 2000 block of Clifty Drive. Verbal warning issued.

4:48 p.m. Reckless driving at east junction of State Road 62.

GENERAL

Sunday, December 1

6:52 a.m. Alarm or alarm problem in the 2000 block of Michigan Road.

9:57 a.m. Assist other department in the 600 block of Clifty Drive.

3:44 p.m. Item or article found in the 500 block of Mulberry Street.

4:08 p.m. Item or article found in the 200 block of West Main Street.

4:38 p.m. Item or article found in the 400 block of East Clifty Drive.

5:01 p.m. Welfare check in the 1000 block of Park Avenue.

10:42 p.m. Assist other agency in the 1000 block of Green Road.

Monday, December 2

8:20 a.m. Alarm or alarm problem in the 200 block of Clifty Drive.

9:59 a.m. Welfare check in the 2000 block of Michigan Road.

10:28 a.m. Item or article found reported to the Police Department.

11:09 a.m. Welfare check in the 100 block of Jefferson Street.

6:22 pm. Assist other department in the 1000 block of Cragmont Street.

7:37 p.m. Assist other agency in the 200 block of West Skyline Drive.

7:49 p.m. Assist other department in the 400 block of North Gray Street.

Tuesday, December 3

2:09 a.m. Argument in the 1000 block of West First Street.

HANOVER POLICE

ARRESTS

Tuesday, December 3

12:13 a.m. Crystal Jane Hayden, 38, North Vernon, arrested on a Jennings County warrant for failure to appear. 100 West Main Street

3:46 a.m. Cassandra L. Poer, 21, cited for failure to provide proof of financial responsibility.

CRIME

Tuesday, December 3

12:13 a.m. Attempt to serve a warrant in the 100 block of West Main

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The site of a crash Wednesday morning that killed an aide for Jennings County schools. No students were on board the bus. (Photo from Indiana State Police)

No students aboard, but aide dies in Jennings County bus crash

Courier staff report

A two-vehicle crash Wednesday morning involving a Jennings County School Corporation bus at the intersection of State Roads 7 and 3 near Vernon killed a North Vernon woman and sent two others to the hospital.

Indiana State Police said that a Jennings County bus driven by Robert J. Ringer, 72, of North Vernon was southbound on S.R. 7 when a northbound truck driven by Harry T. Palmer, 48, of North Vernon, attempted to turn southbound on S.R. 3 in front of the bus. The bus struck the passenger side of Palmer's vehicle and came to a stop in the middle of S.R. 7. with Palmer's truck stopping just off the roadway.

Ringer was not injured in the crash, but a passenger on the bus, Mary Boyd, 74, of North Vernon, suffered fatal injuries. She was taken to St. Vincent-Jennings Hospital and was pronounced dead shortly after.

State police said Boyd was a bus aide who rode along to monitor students and had been employed with the school corporation for about 10 years. Her family has been notified.

The Jennings County Sheriff's Office and troopers from the ISP Versailles Post responded to the scene about 6:30 a.m.

Palmer and a passenger, Steven P. Graham, 44, of North Vernon, were also taken to the hospital and treated for non-life threatening injuries.

Toxicology results are pending and the investigation is ongoing.

Drug arrest in phone return

Courier staff report

Two North Vernon men were arrested last week after employees of a local business found a meth pipe in a cell phone box that was being returned to the store.

According to a Facebook post from the Jennings County Sheriff's Office, Deputy Thomas Mellencamp and Reserve Deputy Dylan Smock responded to the business at 8:22 p.m. after a glass pipe was found in the box of a cell phone that Marvin Cumberworth, 50, of North Vernon was returning. When they arrived, Cumberworth told the officers he had methamphetamine on his person and was taken to Jennings County Jail.

When they arrived at the jail, police found a larger amount of meth on Cumberworth's person and decided to continue to investigate. That led them to Cumberworth's home in Campbell Township, where deputies found eight grams of methamphetamine, 180 grams of marijuana and another man, James Earl, 40, of North Vernon. Earl was also taken into custody.

Cumberworth told officers that he sold methamphetamine and marijuana to supplement his income.

Cumberworth is being held on a $12,055 full cash bond for dealing methamphetamine, Level 3 felony; dealing marijuana, Class A misdemeanor; possession of marijuana, Class B misdemeanor; and maintaining a common nuisance, Level 6 felony.

Earl is being held on a $3,055 full cash bond for possession of methamphetamine, Level 6 felony; possession of paraphernalia, Class C misdemeanor; and visiting a common nuisance, Class A misdemeanor.

Case of Trimble man facing sex abuse charges headed to grand jury

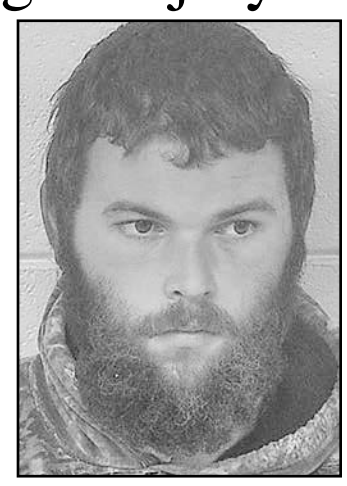
Courier staff report

A Trimble County man accused of sexually abusing a minor appeared in Trimble County District Court last week and his case was waived to grand jury.

Dustin Lambert, 26, of Milton, is facing charges of sodomy, 1st Degree, and use of a minor younger than 16 in a sex performance. He is being held on a $100,000 cash bond after police found video and photo evidence of him abusing the minor.

Kentucky State Police received a complaint there was video evidence showing Lambert abusing a minor in a sexual manner and executed a warrant to search Lambert's phone. They found the video as well as other photo evidence supporting the complaint, said KSP Sgt. Dusty Corbin. Corbin said police spoke to Lambert about the allegations and ultimately placed him under arrest Nov. 14.

Lambert is being held in the Carroll County Detention Center.



Dustin Lambert

Indiana child services worker charged in neglect of boy, 4

By KEN De LA BASTIDE
(Anderson) Herald Bulletin

ANDERSON — A Madison County grand jury has filed four criminal charges against a caseworker with the Indiana Department of Child Services in the neglect of a child under his supervision.

A warrant was issued Monday by Madison County Prosecutor Rodney Cummings for the arrest of Spencer Day Osborn, 26, in connection with the neglect and abuse of a 4-year-old boy.

Osborn is charged with two Level 3 felony charges of neglect of a dependent resulting in serious bodily injury and two Level 5 felony counts of neglect of a dependent resulting in bodily injury. Bond was set at $20,000.

If convicted, Osborn faces a possible prison sentence of three to 16 years on the Level 3 charges and one to six years on the Level 5 charges.

Cummings said the Madison Circuit Court Division 4 grand jury heard the case and recommended the charges be filed.

"The child was a ward of the state, which puts the caseworker in the place of the parent in terms of protecting the child from anything bad happening," Cummings said. "He put the child in an environment he should have known was dangerous and didn't do anything about it when he discovered the child was being abused."

He said the child was severely injured over a long period of time and his mother, Kathryn Hill, had been convicted of neglect of a dependent previously. As a result of that neglect, the child was removed from her care and placed as a ward of the state.

"The child was placed in foster care and the caseworker returned the child to the mother, where he was seriously injured multiple times," Cummings said.

In September, the boy was taken to Riley Hospital for Children with internal bleeding. He and five siblings have been returned to foster care.

The Indiana Department of Child Services deputy director of communications, Noelle Russell, said the agency would have no comments while the criminal process is underway.

Hill, 28, was charged in September with Level 3 felony neglect of a dependent.

Police described the 4-year-old's physical condition as one of extreme neglect, according to an affidavit of probable cause filed by Chris Frazier of the Anderson Police Department.

"The child was in a state of malnutrition and appeared nearly unresponsive," Frazier said in the affidavit. "The child could barely open his eyes and was making inaudible sounds."

Cummings said Osborn went to the home and for a year didn't check on that child at all.

"In the summer time, the child was wearing long sleeve shirts, was sleeping and never engaged in conversation," he said. "The level of abuse is astonishing."

Cummings said the caseworker went to the house but not as many times as he told police.

His text messages and what he told police were inconsistent.

Cummings said the supervisor of the caseworker wrote a performance review that should have gotten the caseworker terminated.

"When the performance review was made that supervisor was ordered to change the review," he said.

"How that makes the system safer for the child I don't understand."

Cummings said it was certainly considered as an option to file charges against the supervisor.

"It's a dramatic step to file charges against the caseworker," he said.

At the time of Hill's arrest in September, among the injuries documented by police were open sores on the child's face and neck, burns to his face and ears, abrasions on the child's face and injuries to his neck.

In 2014, Hill accepted a plea agreement on the Level 6 felony neglect of a dependent.

According to court records from the 2014 case, Hill left her home to take her 1-year-old daughter to the hospital for emergency care, but instead went to a friend's home to buy cocaine.

Police said Hill gave three men her car for the cocaine and then attempted to report the vehicle stolen from the hospital parking lot.

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Street. Arrest made.

TRAFFIC

Monday, December 2

10:34 p.m. Traffic stop on Thornton Road and Norwood Court. Warning issued.

10:52 p.m. Traffic stop in the 100 block of South Main Cross Street. Warning issued.

Tuesday, December 3

3:04 a.m. Traffic stop on Westlawn Drive. Verbal warning issued.

3:13 a.m. Traffic stop on State Road 56 and Thompson Road. Warning issued.

3:46 a.m. Traffic stop in the 100 block of West LaGrange Road. Citation issued.

GENERAL

Sunday, December 1

3:28 p.m. Panic alarm in the 200 block of Shady Nook.

Monday, December 2

6:50 p.m. Assist other agency in the 800 block of South Goldenrod Lane.

8:03 p.m. Assist other agency in the 400 block of North Gray Street, Madison.

10:48 p.m. Assist other agency on Second Street.

JEFFERSON SUPERIOR COURT

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Let Us Pause to Honor the Memory of

Mrs. Mary Pearl Bayne Stapp

Mrs. Mary Pearl Bayne Stapp, age 83, of Madison, Indiana formerly of Houston entered this life on June 13, 1936 in Trimble County, Kentucky. She was the loving daughter of the late Wilford C. Sr., and Elizabeth C. "Lizzie" Chandler Bayne. She was raised in Trimble County graduating in 1954 from Milton High School. She joined Shell Oil Company in Indianapolis, Indiana, where she met and married Clyde Necy Stapp on June 13, 1957 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Madison. Clyde and Mary traveled worldwide and were long time members of St. John Vianney Catholic Church in Houston. Mary Pearl resided in Houston until the death of her husband when she returned to Madison, Indiana. She always enjoyed her many visits home to Trimble County and Madison. Mary Pearl died on Saturday, November 23, 2019, at 2:23 p.m. at the Norton Hospital in Louisville, Kentucky.

A LOVING FAMILY

Mary Pearl will be missed by her loving sons, Gregory Stapp and his wife, Barbara, Douglas Stapp and his wife, Patty; she was the proud grandmother "Nannie" of, Ryan, Sarah, Rochelle, Weston, Savannah, and Tabbitha; her brothers in law, Prentis Shelton and Pete Maddox both of Madison, Indiana and her sister in law, Betty Covalt; several nieces, nephews and other relatives. She was preceded in death by her father, Wilford C. Bayne died, March 20, 1991, her mother, Elizabeth C. "Lizzie" Chandler Bayne, died May 19, 1990, her beloved husband of 61 years, Clyde Necy Stapp, died March 27, 2018, her sisters, Bonita "Bonnie" Bayne Shelton, died September 15, 2017 and Beryl L. Bayne Maddox, died December 12, 2010, her brothers, Wilford C. Bayne, Jr., died March 26, 2002 and David Rodney Bayne, died July 29, 2006.

FUNERAL CEREMONY

Funeral services will be conducted Saturday, December 7, 2019, at 6:00 p.m., at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive Madison, Indiana. Entombment will follow on Sunday at 12:00 Noon at the Indiana Veterans Memorial Cemetery Columbarium, 1415 North Gate Road in Madison, Indiana.

VISITATION

Friends may visit Saturday from 4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana.

MEMORIAL EXPRESSIONS

Memorial contributions may be made to the Disabled American Veterans. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre's of Madison and Hanover. Online condolences, www.morgan-nay.com

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Let Us Pause to Honor the Memory of

Mr. James C. Turner, Jr.

Mr. James C. Turner Jr., age 79, of Milton, Kentucky entered this life on August 30, l940 in Jackson, Kentucky. He was the loving son of the late James C, Sr. and Callie W. Watts Turner. He graduated from Leslie County High School in 1958, and had lived mostly in Jefferson County, Indiana and Trimble County, Kentucky. He served in the United States Army from l961-l962 and rose to the rate of Private First Class serving in the Bay of Pigs. On April 22, l964 he was united in marriage to Shirley Lee Tipton. This happy union was blessed with children, Christopher, Travis, and Damon. James worked union construction all his working years with Carpenter's Union Local in Charlestown. He was a member of New Hope Church of God in Wooster, Indiana and the Major Samuel Woodfill Post No. 9 of the American Legion. His family affectionately called him Junior. He enjoyed fishing, woodworking, reading Westerns, and especially making canes and walking sticks. Jim died on Saturday, November 30, 2019, at 12:53 p.m. at the Water's of Clifty Falls in Madison, Indiana.

A LOVING FAMILY

Jim will be missed by his loving companion, Shirley Lee Tipton of Milton, Kentucky; his loving sons, Christopher Troy Turner of Milton, Kentucky, Damon Turner of Milton, Kentucky; his loving daughter, Travis Louise Lauria and her husband Craig of Johnstown, Pennsylvania; his grandchildren, Collen, Matthew, Rachel, Paige, Tyler, and Lauren; his loving great grandchildren, Grayson, Scotty, Cady, GoKu, and Osiris; his brothers, Kenny Turner of Bedford, Kentucky, George Turner and his wife Patricia of Milton, Kentucky, G. B. Turner and his wife, Jenny of Vevay, Indiana; his loving sisters, Louise Suter and her husband Roy of Deputy, Indiana, Cassie Marcum of Deputy, Indiana, Thelma Marcum of Carrollton, Kentucky; his brothers in law, John and Jean Tipton of Kent, Indiana; his brothers in law and sisters in law, James and Janet Green of Columbus, Indiana; his brothers in law and sisters in law, June Chatham of Madison, Indiana; several nieces, nephews and other relatives. He was preceded in death by his father, James C. Turner, Sr., his mother, Callie W. Watts Turner, his granddaughter, Crista Edwards, his brothers, Tommy Turner and O.V. Turner, his sisters, Beulah Elkins, Eulah May Turner, and Cledia Morgan.

VISITATION

Friends may visit Friday, December 6, 2019 from 4:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana.

MILITARY HONORS

A final salute will be conducted on Friday, December 6, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. with military honors to follow at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, conducted by the Major Samuel Woodfill Post No. 9 of the American Legion.

MEMORIAL EXPRESSIONS

Memorial contributions may be made to the Salvation Army. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre of Madison and Hanover. Online condolences, www.morgan-nay.com

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Friday, December 6, 2019 at 6:45 p.m.

North Madison Christian Church—1400 East State Road 62 Madison, Indiana

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SWIMMING

Madison racks up 17 wins in victory over Rebels

COURIER STAFF REPORT
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Madison's swim teams picked up 17 wins and scored tri-meet victories over Jefferson County rivals Southwestern and Shawe on Tuesday at the junior high pool ast Madison.

The Cubs defeated Southwestern 130-27 and Shawe 137-4 in the boys event while knocking off Southwestern 106-33 and Shawe 120-0 in the girls event.

"What a great night in the pool!" Madison coach Ashley Schutte said. "We had several personal best swims, a few first-time events, and a few who stepped into uncharted territory with new events and killed it!"

Anne Marie Grady picked up four wins for the Madison girls. The senior won the 100-yard freestyle in 1:05.84 and the 100 backstroke in 1:30.09. She then teamed with Emily Nay, Trinity Stoner and Lucy Lynch to win the 200 medley relay in 2:14.72 and the 200 freestyle relay in 1:57.61.

Carter Schutte and Justin Banks won four events each to lead the Madison boys.

Schutte, a sophomore, won the 100 free in 54.56 and the 100 backstroke in 1:01.83. Banks won the 200 individual medley in 2:08.16 and the 100 breaststroke in 1:05.10. Schutte and Banks then teamed with Liam Roney and Jack Kelsey to win the 200 medley relay in 1:50.92 and with Roney and Trenton Schmidt to win the 400 free relay in 3:45.96.

Other wins for the Madison girls were: Andie Royce-Miller, 200 free, 2:40.40; Katie Royce, 200 IM, 2:53.67; and Royce-Miller, Vanina Kelsey, Callie Anderson and Royce, 400 free relay, 5:01.75.

Other wins for the Madison boys were: Roney, 200 free, 2:03.52; Schmidt, 100 fly, 1:03.47; Leighton Wielgoszinski, 500 free, 5:40.22; and Peyton Ford, Kelsey, Casey Anderson and Schmidt, 200 free relay, 1:44.41.

Belle Crawford and Julia Worcester each picked up a pair of wins to lead the Southwestern girls. Crawford won the 100 back in 1:12.26 and the 100 fly in 1:08.62. Julia Worcester won the 50 free in 28.04 and the 500 free in 6:17.66.

Caleb Geary claimed the 50 free in 24.62 for the lone win for the Rebel boys.

"We had a good solid start to the season tonight. We had some nice swims but really set a base-line for

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ALL WET: Swimmers from Madison, Southwestern and Shawe squared off in the pool on Tuesday. Southwestern's Julia Worcester (above) won two events, including the 500 freestyle. Madison's Katie Royce (below) raced to a victory in the 200 individual medley. The Cubs' Justin Banks (right) led Madison with four wins, including the 200 individual medley. (Staff photos by David Campbell)

First quarter dooms Shawe in loss at Jac-Cen-Del

WATCHING ALONG: Shawe coach Dan Hambrick (kneeling) and the Hilltopper bench watch the action during the ORVC game at Jac-Cen-Del on Tuesday. (Staff photo by David Campbell)

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OSGOOD — For three quarters, Shawe played near dead even with Jac-Cen-Del and flashed its potential to compete with one of the top teams in the area. However, a sluggish first quarter proved pivotal and the difference in the game as the host Eagles picked up a 64-44 win over the Hilltoppers in Ohio River Valley Conference boys basketball action on Tuesday night.

Jac-Cen-Del (2-1, 1-0 ORVC) jetted out to a 22-7 lead to start the game and the lead hovered around that margin the rest of the way. Shawe played within 42-37 of the Eagles for the next three frames, including a 10-10 tie in the fourth quarter, but any chance of a close game had been derailed early.

Hilltopper head coach Dan Hambrick made note that the slow start had been predictable prior to tipoff and that his team was clearly not ready to go.

"Coaches come into the locker room and can just automatically get a feel if their team is ready to come out and play," Hambrick said. "When I came into the locker room I could just feel that we did not get off the bus ready to play basketball."

The result was an 8-0 run by Jac-Cen-Del to start the game on four points by Cameron Gehl and a bucket each by Caleb Simon and Brandon Baber. Ethan Stuart hit two free throws to stop the bleeding for Shawe, which cut the deficit to 11-5 on a 3-pointer by Henry Grote. Christian Comer answered with a bucket but Stuart came up with his fourth point of the period and the Hilltoppers again trailed by six at 13-7 with 2:29 to go.

But just as an 8-0 started the first quarter, a 9-0 run by Jac-Cen-Del closed the frame. Justin Ohlmansiek buried back-to-back 3-pointers on two-straight possessions and Baber completed a three-point play with 31 seconds left, putting the Eagles up 22-7 and forcing Shawe to attempt to claw back from a large hole the rest of the way.

"Take away that 8-0 run, I mean it pretty much deflated us there," Hambrick said of the first quarter. "I think we did a lot of things tonight that are fixable but we can't go out there and let an 8-0 run punch us in the gut and not respond to it. Especially against good teams like Jac-Cen-Del; we just can't do this or we'll end up like tonight and get beat by 20."

Henry Grote's 3-pointer kick-started a 6-0 Shawe run to open the second quarter that included a bucket by Chandler Cole and free throw by Jack Grote but the 22-13 deficit was the closest the 'Toppers would get in the game. The lead was trimmed to 28-17 with 2:23 left in the half after

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LOCAL SPORTS CALENDAR

Thursday, Dec. 5
BASKETBALL (Boys)
7:30 p.m.
Trimble Co. at Carroll Co.
SWIMMING
5:30 p.m.
Switzerland Co. at South Dearborn
6 p.m.
Madison hosts Jennings Co.

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Friday, Dec. 6
BASKETBALL (Boys)
6:30 p.m.
Christian Academy vs. Evansville Christian, SRC Tournament
7:30 p.m.
Madison at Jennings Co.
Switzerland Co. hosts Trimble Co.
8 p.m.
Shawe hosts Southwestern
BASKETBALL (Girls)
6 p.m.
Shawe hosts Southwestern
7:30 p.m.
Madison hosts Jeffersonville
Trimble Co. at Carroll Co.
WRESTLING
5 p.m.
Madison, Southwestern, Switzerland Co. Fugate Invitational at Scottsburg

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Saturday, Dec. 7
BASKETBALL (Boys/Men)
TBA
Christian Academy, SRC Tournament
3 p.m.
Hanover hosts Manchester
7:30 p.m.
Madison at Corydon
Southwestern at Columbus East
Switzerland Co. at Crothersville
BASKETBALL (Girls/Women)
1 p.m.
Trimble Co. at Waggener
1:30 p.m.
Switzerland Co. at Christian Academy of Indiana
5 p.m.
Hanover hosts Manchester
SWIMMING
8:30 a.m.
Madison hosts Madison Invitational
9 a.m.
Hanover, Transylvania Invitational
Southwestern at Lawrenceburg
WRESTLING
8 a.m.
Madison, Southwestern, Switzerland Co., Fugate Invitational at Scottsburg
9 a.m.
Madison, HHC Duals at Jeffersonville

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Sunday, Dec. 8
SWIMMING
9 a.m.
Hanover, Transylvania Invitational

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Monday, Dec. 9
BASKETBALL (Boys)
7:30 p.m.
Shawe hosts Christian Academy of Madison

PREP POLLS

INDIANA HS BOYS BASKETBALL ASSOCIATED PRESS TOP 10 POLLS

The Associated Press Top 10 polls with record, points, previous ranking and first-place votes in parenthesis.

CLASS 4A

	W-L	Pts	Pvs.
1. Law. Central (11)	1-0	270	1
2. Bloom. South (2)	2-0	254	3
3. Lawrence North	2-0	179	4
4. Jeffersonville	1-0	145	8
5. Homestead	1-0	129	7
6. Brownsburg (1)	2-0	124	9
7. Warren Central	1-0	108	6
8. Lafayette Jefferson	1-0	90	NR
9. Carmel	1-0	69	2
10. Culver Academy	2-0	56	NR

Others receiving votes: Zionsville 55. Fishers 44. Floyd Central 42. Cathedral 24. Ev. Reitz 21. Ben Davis 17. S. Bend Adams 12. Ft. Wayne Snider 12. Center Grove 9. Munster 7. Crispus Attucks 7. Plainfield 6.

CLASS 3A

	W-L	Pts	Pvs.
1. Silver Creek (14)	1-0	280	1
2. Brebeuf Jesuit	0-0	192	4
3. Heritage Hills	0-0	188	3
4. Princeton	2-0	143	9
5. Greensburg	0-0	136	T6
6. Ev. Bosse	0-0	125	T6
7. Beech Grove	1-0	118	8
8. Mishawaka Marian	0-0	109	5
9. Danville	2-0	72	NR
10. Greencastle	1-0	54	NR

Others receiving votes: Delta 50. S. Bend St. Joseph's 49. North Harrison 31. West Lafayette 24. Bellmont 20. Connersville 19. Evansville Memorial 13. Griffith 12. Hammond 12. Sullivan 10. Northwestern 9. Norwell 8. Jimtown 6.

CLASS 2A

	W-L	Pts	Pvs.
1. Linton-Stockton (8)	1-0	250	2
2. Shenandoah (1)	2-0	238	3
3. Westview (1)	1-0	224	4
4. FW Blackhawk (3)	0-0	212	5
5. Park Tudor (1)	1-0	151	9
6. Andrean	0-2	75	1
7. Frankton	1-1	64	6
8. Southwestern (Jeff.)	**2-1**	**63**	**8**
9. Prairie Heights	2-0	62	NR
10. Blackford	2-0	61	NR

Others receiving votes: Tipton 44. LaVille 39. Lapel 36. Southridge 30. Paoli 28. South Decatur 18. North Posey 14. University 14. Howe 12. Churubusco 12. Covenant Christian 10. Providence 10. Evansville Mater Dei 7. Tell City 6.

CLASS A

	W-L	Pts	Pvs.
1. 21st Century (8)	2-0	262	1
2. Barr-Reeve (5)	1-0	252	4
3. Bloomfield	1-0	201	3
4. Laf. Catholic (1)	1-0	190	5
5. Kouts	2-0	160	8
6. G'wood Christian	1-0	136	9
7. Morristown	1-0	129	7
8. Loogootee	3-0	100	NR
9. Argos	0-1	49	2
10. Evansville Day	2-0	46	NR

Others receiving votes: Metropolitan 36. Covenant Christian (DeMotte) 34. Oldenburg 26. Christian Academy 26. Lanesville 18. Covington 9. Washington Twp. 6.

IBCA TOP 20 POLL

The Indiana Basketball Coaches Association Top 20 poll with record, points and first-place votes in parenthesis.

	W-L	Pts.	Pvs.
1. Law. Central (19)	0-0	399	1
2. Bloom. South (1)	2-0	377	2
3. Lawrence North	0-0	359	3
4. Silver Creek	1-0	321	4
5. Jeffersonville	1-0	318	6
6. Culver Academies	2-0	271	7
7. Homestead	1-0	266	8
8. Brownsburg	2-0	236	10
9. Lafayette Jefferson	1-0	199	12
10. Zionsville	1-0	197	16
11. Carmel	1-1	173	5
12. Warren Central	1-0	169	11
13. FW Blackhawk	0-0	139	13
14. Cathedral	1-0	130	15
15. FW Snider	1-0	115	17
16. Floyd Central	2-0	84	18
17. Hamilton SE	1-1	80	14
18. Ben Davis	1-1	68	9
19. Heritage Hills	0-0	42	20
20. Indpls Attucks	1-1	41	19

Other Schools Receiving Votes (alphabetical order): 21st Century at Fall Creek, Avon, Barr-Reeve, Blackford, Bloomington North, Brebeuf Jesuit, Carroll (Fort Wayne), Chesterton, Columbus North, Danville, Evansville Bosse, Evansville Reitz, Fishers, Fort Wayne Northrop, Greensburg, Hanover Central, Indianapolis Chatard, Lafayette Central Catholic, Linton-Stockton, Mishawaka Marian, Munster, New Albany, North Posey, Pike, Shenandoah, South Bend St. Joseph, Westview.

INDIANA HS GIRLS BASKETBALL ICGSA TOP 10 POLLS

The Indiana Coaches of Girls Sports Top 10 polls with record, points, previous ranking and first-place votes in parenthesis.

CLASS 4A

	W-L	Pts.	Pvs.
1. Northwestern (7)	7-0	104	1
2. Lawrence North (1)	8-0	96	2
3. Crown Point (2)	9-0	86	3
4. Homestead (1)	5-0	76	4
5. Fishers	9-0	66	5
6. Hamilton SE	7-1	53	7
7. Penn	7-0	52	6
8. Center Grove	7-1	23	10
9. Brownsburg	6-2	20	8
10. Jeffersonville	7-1	15	9

Others receiving votes: North Central (Indianapolis), West Lafayette Harrison.

CLASS 3A

	W-L	Pts.	Pvs.
1. Gibson Southern (3)	5-0	96	3
2. Salem (6)	6-0	94	1
3. Benton Central (2)	6-1	91	2
4. Norwell	6-1	67	4
5. Mish. Marian	5-1	51	6
6. Winchester	7-0	46	10
7. Silver Creek	5-1	34	7
8. Heritage Christian	3-2	32	5
9. Evs. Memorial	2-0	16	NR
10. Danville	5-1	15	8

Others receiving votes: Fort Wayne Dwenger, Greensburg, Angola, FW Luers, SB St. Joseph's, Garrett, West Lafatte, Chatard, NorthWood, Washington, Vincennes Lincoln, FW Concordia.

CLASS 2A

	W-L	Pts.	Pvs.
1. Triton Central (10)	8-0	108	1
2. Vincennes Rivet (1)	6-0	91	4
3. University	7-0	82	5
4. Shenadoah	6-0	68	6
5t. Monroe Central	4-0	62	7
5t. North Judson	5-1	62	2
7. Linton-Stockton	6-2	51	3
8t. Laf. Cent. Catholic	4-2	17	9
8t. Westville	8-0	17	NR
10. South Knox	7-1	14	NR

Others receiving votes: Crawford Co., Lapel, South Central (Union Mills), Covenant Christian, Eastern (Pekin), Providence.

CLASS 1A

	W-L	Pts.	Pvs.
1. Loogootee (8)	5-0	102	1
2. Jac-Cen-Del (1)	5-1	88	2
3. Tecumseh (1)	2-1	75	3
4. Oregon-Davis	5-1	73	4
5. Trinity Lutheran (1)	3-1	66	5
6. Morgan Twp.	5-1	48	6
7. Lanesville	8-2	34	7
8. Kouts	7-1	26	10
9. G'wood Christian	3-2	23	8
10. Pioneer	4-1	15	NR

Others receiving votes: Orleans, Edinburgh, Bethesda Christian, North Miami, Southwestern (Shelby), Union City, Springs Valley, Anderson Prep.

INDIANA HS GIRLS BASKETBALL IBCA TOP 20 POLL

The Indiana Basketball Coaches Association Top 20 poll with record, points, previous ranking and first-place votes in parenthesis.

	W-L	Pts.	Pvs.
1. Northwestern (14)	7-0	389	1
2. Crown Point (3)	9-0	359	3
3. Lawrence North (2)	8-0	359	2
4. Penn (1)	7-0	331	4
5. Homestead	5-0	321	5
6. Fishers	9-0	297	6
7. Hamilton SE	7-1	273	7
8. Center Grove	7-1	225	9
9. Brownsburg	6-2	217	8
10. Jeffersonville	7-1	201	10
11. Triton Central	8-0	192	11
12. N. Central (Indpls)	4-2	155	12
13. Harrison (W. Laf.)	5-0	145	13
14. Benton Central	6-1	141	14
15. Salem	6-0	100	16
16. Carmel	3-3	78	15
17. Roncalli	4-2	50	17
18. Gibson Southern	5-0	45	NR
19. Bedford N.L.	4-3	38	18
20. Lawrence Central	7-0	30	NR

Other Schools Receiving Votes (Alphabetical Order): Angola, Avon, Ben Davis, Carroll (Fort Wayne), Castle, Columbus East, Columbus North, Danville, East Central, Elkhart Central, Evansville North, Fort Wayne Bishop Dwenger, Greensburg, Heritage Christian, Indianapolis Cathedral, Knox, Linton-Stockton, Loogootee, Mishawaka Marian, Mt. Vernon (Fortville), North Harrison, North Judson, Norwell, Oregon-Davis, Portage, Silver Creek, South Bend St. Joseph, Vincennes Rivet, West Lafayette, Winchester.

INDIANA HS WRESTLING IndianaMat Top 20 Power Poll

1. Evansville Mater Dei, 88; 2. Indianapolis Cathedral, 84; 3. Brownsburg, 82; 4. Crown Point, 73; 5. Avon, 62; 6. Roncalli, 53; 7. Carmel, 50; 8. Warren Central, 45; 9. Perry Meridian, 41; 10. Mishawaka, 38; 11. Chesterton, 37; 12. Merrillville, 29; 13. Floyd Central, 27; 14. Penn, 25; 15. South Spencer, 24; 16. Garrett, 23; 17. (tie) North Montgomery, Shenandoah, 22; 19. Western, 21; 20. (tie) East Central, Greenfield-Central, Leo, Plymouth, 18.

SPORTS ON THE AIR

TV SPORTSWATCH

Thursday, December 5

COLLEGE BASKETBALL (MEN'S)

9 p.m.
SEC — Furman at Auburn

COLLEGE BASKETBALL (WOMEN'S)

6 p.m.
BTN — Virginia at Rutgers

6:30 p.m.
FS1 — Connecticut at Seton Hall

7 p.m.
ACCNX — Purdue at Virginia Tech (webcast)
ESPN — Maryland at North Carolina State
SEC — Iowa State at Alabama

8 p.m.
BTN — Louisville at Ohio State

9 p.m.
ESPN — Syracuse at Michigan

COLLEGE FOOTBALL

6 p.m.
CBSSN — NJCAA: Lackawanna vs. Mississippi Gulf Coast, Championship, Pittsburg, Kan.

GOLF

1 p.m.
GOLF — PGA Tour: The Hero World Challenge, second round, New Providence, Bahamas

8 p.m.
GOLF — PGA Tour of Australasia: The Emirates Australian Open, second round, Sydney

HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL (BOYS)

9 p.m.
ESPN2 — Prolific Prep (Calif.) at Hillcrest Prep (Ariz.)

NBA BASKETBALL

7:30 p.m.
NBA — Houston at Toronto

NFL FOOTBALL

8:20 p.m.
FOX, NFL — Dallas at Chicago

NHL HOCKEY

7 p.m.
FS Ohio —New York Rangers at Columbus Blue Jackets

SOCCER (MEN'S)

2:30 p.m.
NBCSN — Premier League: Brighton at Arsenal

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Friday, December 6

COLLEGE BASKETBALL (MEN'S)

6:30 p.m.
FS1 — Iowa at Michigan

7 p.m.
ESPN2 — Providence at Rhode Island

9 p.m.
ACCN — Pittsburgh at Louisville
ESPN2 — Southern California at Texas Christian

COLLEGE FOOTBALL

8 p.m.
ABC — Pac-12 Championship: Utah vs. Oregon, Santa Clara, Calif.

COLLEGE HOCKEY (MEN'S)

8 p.m.
BTN — Minnesota at Ohio State

8:30 p.m.
FS1 — Penn State at Michigan

COLLEGE SOCCER (WOMEN'S)

7 p.m.
ESPNU — NCAA Tournament: washington State vs. North Carolina, Semifinal

9:30 p.m.
ESPNU — NCAA Tournament: UCLA vs. Stanford, Semifinal

COLLEGE VOLLEYBALL (WOMEN'S)

5:30 p.m.
BTN+ — NCAA Tournament, Purdue vs. UCLA, at Madison, Wis. (webcast)

7:30 p.m.
SEC+ — NCAA Tournament, Southeast Missouri at Kentucky (webcast)

FIGURE SKATING

9 p.m.
NBCSN — ISU: Grand Prix Final, Turin, Italy (taped)

GOLF

3:30 a.m.
GOLF — EPGA Tour: The AfrAsia Bank Mauritius Open, second round, Bel-Ombre, Mauritius

11 a.m.
GOLF — PGA Tour: The Hero World Challenge, third round, New Providence, Bahamas

5 p.m.
GOLF — Father/Son Challenge: Pro-Am, Orlando, Fla. (taped)

8 p.m.
GOLF — PGA Tour of Australasia: The Emirates Australian Open, third round, Sydney

NBA BASKETBALL

7 p.m.
FS Indiana — Indiana at Detroit
FS Ohio — Orlando at Cleveland

8 p.m.
ESPN — Denver at Boston

10:30 p.m.
ESPN — LA Lakers at Portland

SKIING

11 p.m.
NBCSN — FIS: World Cup, Lake Louise, Alberta (taped)

SOCCER (MEN'S)

2:20 p.m.
FS2 — Bundesliga: Hertha Berlin at Frankfurt

SWIMMING

7 p.m.
NBCSN — U.S. Open: Finals, Atlanta

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Saturday, December 7

BOXING

9 p.m.
SHO — Showtime Championship: Jermall Charlo vs. Denis Hogan, Brooklyn, N.Y.

COLLEGE BASKETBALL (MEN'S)

Noon
ACCN — Eastern Kentucky at Louisville
FOX — Florida at Butler
BTN — Penn State at Ohio State
ESPNU — Arizona at Baylor
FS1 — West Virginia at St. John's

2 p.m.
ESPNU — Boston College at Notre Dame

2:30 p.m.
FS1 — Nebraska at Creighton

3 p.m.
ESPN2 — Villanova at St. Joseph's

4 p.m.
SEC — Fairleigh Dickinson at Kentucky

4:30 p.m.
BTN — Indiana at Wisconsin

5 p.m.
FS1 — Cincinnati at Xavier
ESPN2 — Illinois at Maryland

5:30 p.m.
CBSSN — Memphis at Alabama (Birmingham)

7 p.m.
ESPN2 — Colorado at Kansas

7:30 p.m.
CBSSN — Arkansas at Western Kentucky
ESPNU — Missouri at Temple

9 p.m.
ESPN2 — Marquette at Kansas State

9:30 p.m.
ESPNU — Georgetown at Southern Methodist

COLLEGE BASKETBALL (WOMEN)

4 p.m.
FSN — LSU at Oklahoma

COLLEGE FOOTBALL

Noon
ABC — Big 12 Championship: Baylor vs. Oklahoma, Arlington, Texas
ESPN — Sun Belt Championship: Louisiana-Lafayette vs. Appalachian State, Boone, N.C.
ESPN2 — MAC Championship: Miami (Ohio) vs. Central Michigan, Detroit, Mich.

1:30 p.m.
CBSSN — Conference USA Championship: Middle Tennessee vs. Alabama-Birmingham

3:30 p.m.
ABC — American Athletic Championship: Cincinnati vs. Memphis

4 p.m.
CBS — SEC Championship: Georgia vs. LSU, Atlanta
ESPN — Mountain West Championship: Hawaii vs. Boise State
ESPNU — Southwestern Athletic Championship: Southern vs. Alcorn State

7:30 p.m.
ABC — ACC Championship: Clemson vs. Virginia, Charlotte, N.C.

8 p.m.
FOX — Big Ten Championship: Ohio State vs. Wisconsin, Indianapolis

FIGURE SKATING

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NBCSN — ISU: Grand Prix Final, Turin, Italy (taped)

GOLF

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2:30 a.m. (Sunday)
GOLF — EPGA Tour: The AfrAsia Bank Mauritius Open, final round, Bel-Ombre, Mauritius

HIGH SCHOOL BASKETBALL (BOYS)

8 a.m.
ESPNU — TBA

10 a.m.
ESPNU — Christian Brothers (Calif.) vs. Oskaloosa (Iowa)

MIXED MARTIAL ARTS

7 p.m.
ESPN — UFC Fight Night Prelims: Undercard bouts, Washington

9 p.m.
ESPN — UFC Fight Night Main Card: From Washington

NBA BASKETBALL

7:30 p.m.
FS Indiana — Indiana at New York
FS Ohio & NBA — Cleveland at Philadelphia

RUGBY

12:30 a.m. (Sunday)
NBCSN — Heineken Cup: Northampton vs. Leinster

SKIING

11 p.m.
NBCSN — FIS: Xfinity Birds of Prey, Beaver Creek, Colo. (taped)

SOCCER (MEN'S)

7:25 a.m.
NBCSN — Premier League: Chelsea at Everton

9:30 a.m.
FS1 — Bundesliga: Bayern Munich at Borussia Monchengladbach
FS2 — Bundesliga: Fortuna Dusseldorf at Borussia Dortmund

9:55 a.m.
NBCSN — Premier League: TBA

12:20 p.m.
FS2 — Bundesliga: Schalke vs. Bayer Leverkusen

12:25 p.m.
NBCSN — Premier League: Manchester United at Manchester City

SWIMMING

7 p.m.
NBCSN — U.S. Open: Finals, Atlanta

CHAMPS: Wirt Baptist No. 1 was the 2019 Madison Church Volleyball League Praise Division Champions. Members of the team are (from left): Front — Annlena Ferguson, Morgan Dreyer, Gretchen Curry and Pam Woodfill; Back — Whitney Shonkwiler, Toby Harrell, Rodney Woodfill and Julie Moore. (Submitted photo)

LOCAL LEAGUES

MADISON CHURCH VOLLEYBALL LEAGUE
Monday, Dec. 2
Tournament
at The Brown Gym
PRAISE DIVISION

Prince Of Peace d. North United Methodist, 13-21, 21-19, 15-13.

Championship

Wirt Baptist No. 1 d. Prince Of Peace, 21-14, 21-13.

HALLELUJAH DIVISION

24/7 Life No. 2 d. First Baptist, 21-15, 13-21, 15-6.
24/7 Life No. 1 d. Dupont Baptist, 22-20, 21-18.
Falls City No. 1 d. Calvary Baptist No. 2, 21-14, 15-21, 15-12.
Wirt Baptist No. 2 d. Lancaster Baptist, 21-15, 21-10.
New Heart d. Falls City No. 1, 21-18, 21-19.
Wirt Baptist No. 2 d. Falls City No. 2, 21-17, 14-21, 15-9.
Hallelujah Division tournament continues Monday, Dec. 9.

Thomas' 23 leads Switz. Co. to win

COURIER STAFF REPORT
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Aleiah Thomas poured in 23 points to lead Switzerland County girls basketball to a 50-34 victory over Milan in the Pacers' Ohio River Valley Conference opener Tuesday.

Thomas, the reigning ORVC player of the week, added six rebounds, three steals and three assists in the win. Jessie Duvall had eight points, six rebounds, three assists and three steals.

Maddie Duvall added seven points and six rebounds for the Pacers and Jaden Harrell had six points and six rebounds.

Switzerland County (6-1), winners of five-straight games, travels to Christian Academy of Indiana on Saturday.

COURIERAREA SPORTS SHORTS

COURIER STAFF REPORT
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— Madison football players Trenton Barnes and Noah Caswell were both honored by the Hoosier Hills Conference.

Barnes, a running back/safety, was named to the all-HHC First Team while Caswell, a lineman, was an honorable mention selection.

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— Switzerland County-football had three players honored by the Mid-Indiana Football Conference.

Lineman Zach Weaver and quarterback Damion Courter were each named to the all-conference team while Dylan Walter was the MIFC Scholarship winner.

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— Southwestern's Foster Mefford and Switzerland County's Aleiah Thomas have both been named the Ohio River Valley Conference basketball players of the week.

Mefford, a junior guard, totaled 65 points, 22 assists, 17 rebounds and 10 steals in three games for the Rebels last week.

Thomas, a senior guard, scored 22 points and had four rebounds in a win over North Decatur. She shared the award with Jac-Cen-Del's Paige Ledford.

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— The Hanover Baptist Church Basketball League will hold evaluations on Monday, Dec. 9 and Tuesday, Dec. 10 from 6-8 p.m. at the church gymnasium.

The league, open to players grades three through high school, begins play in February. Cost is $35 per player and that includes fees, a team T-shirt and a trophy.

For more information, call Brad Warren at 812-599-0831.

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— Southwestern defeated Shawe 51-30 in junior varsity boys basketball Monday in Madison.

Jordan DeAtley led the Rebels with 13 points, Bryce Hatton had 11 and Colton Cloud scored 10.

Southwestern, now 2-0 on the season, travels to Columbus East on Saturday.

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— Shawe Junior High boys basketball split a pair of games with Switzerland County at home on Tuesday.

The seventh graders won 21-19. Luis Lepe led the Hilltoppers with 10 points and Miguel Morales added six.

The second game went to Switzerland County 38-19. Philip Kahn led Shawe with eight points.

The Hilltoppers host Rock Creek Academy on Saturday.

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IN CONTROL: Madison's Dalton Berry looks for the pin during his match with Batesville's Abram Garcia at 182 pounds during Tuesday's match at home. Berry got the pin in 1:26. (Submitted photo by Stacie Skinner)

Madison grapplers remain unbeaten with a dual meet win over Batesville

COURIER STAFF REPORT
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Madison wrestling recovered from a slow start to roll past Batesville 48-26 for the Cubs' 11th-straight win on the season.

Trailing 14-6 early, Madison stormed back with wins from Van Skinner, Dalton Berry and Tucker Adams — all by quick falls — to surge ahead and never look back while remaining undefeated on the season.

"It was back and forth early on and we needed a shot of energy in the arm and our upper weights provided it. Those big guys are the horses of this team sometime," Madison coach Tyson Skinner said. "I'm proud of the team to remain undefeated and more excited because we have so much we need to improve on."

Van Skinner's win came in 56 seconds at 170 pounds while Berry won in 1:26 at 182 and Adams pinned his opponent in just 12 seconds at 220. Noah Burkhardt added a win by fall in 3:43 at 120 pounds, while Emmett Wilhite (138 pounds), Blake Ashby (285), Bryce Turner (113) and Jacob McRoberts (126) each won by forfeit.

Madison, now 11-0 on the season, competes in two tournaments this weekend. The Cubs will wrestle at the Fugate Invitational at Scottsburg on both Friday and Saturday, and will also send several wrestlers to the Hoosier Hills Conference Duals at Jeffersonville on Saturday.

•Swimming

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what we need to focus on in the next few weeks and going into Christmas break," Southwestern coach Jay Crawford said "Our numbers are smaller this year, and we have some new swimmers. We felt that we had a good showing against a very strong Madison team."

Shawe's Ale Giaveri competed in two events in the boys meet, placing fifth in the 50 free in 29.06 and fifth in the 100 breast in 1:26.54.

Other top three finishes for the Madison girls were: Charlie Vaughn, second, 200 free, 3:07.50 and third, 100 breast, 1:21.17; Anderson, second, 200 IM, 3:01.42; Nay, second, 50 free, 28.21 and second, 100 back, 1:12.53; Stoner, second, 100 fly, 1:20.68 and third, 50 free, 28.87; Lynch, second, 100 free, 1:11.31; Haruna Sasaki, second, 100 breast, 1:31.69 and third, 200 free, 3:15.54; Royce-Miller, Sasaki, Royce and Grady, second, 200 medley relay, 2:27.88; Royce, third, 100 fly, 1:27.93; Kelsey, third, 100 free, 1:18.98; Royce-Miller, third, 100 back, 1:20.97; and Alyssa Storm, Sasaki, Autumn Hedgepeth and Kelsey, third, 200 free relay, 2:24.96.

GLIDE: Madison's Anne Marie Grady won four events. (Staff photo by David Campbell)

Other top three finishes for the Madison boys were: Wielgoszinski, second, 200 free, 2:04.70; Schmidt, second, 200 IM, 2:22.66; Luke Bryant, second, 50 free, 25.49 and second, 100 fly, 1:05.70; Ford, second, 100 free, 56.99 and second, 100 back, 1:09.06; Gavin McMahon, second, 100 breast, 1:21.17; Bladyn Cardinal, Adrian Guzman, Bryant and Ford, second, 200 medley relay, 1:59.31; Marlon D'Onorio De Meo, Bryant, Guzman and Wielgoszinski, second, 200 free relay, 1:52.36; McMahon, Anderson, Wielgoszinski and Cardinal, second, 400 free relay, 4:05.38; Cardinal, third, 200 free, 2:11.43 and third, 500 free, 6:10.91; Anderson, third, 200 IM, 2:33.72 and third, 100 back, 1:11.96; Roney, third, 50 free, 25.53; and Kelsey, third, 100 free, 57.79.

Other finishes for the Southwestern girls were: Crawford, Shalee Holman, Andrey Bare and Worcester, second, 200 free relay, 2:24.84 and third, 200 medley relay, 2:42.93; Bare, fourth, 100 free, 1:37.51 and fifth, 50 free, 42.61; and Holman, sixth, 50 free, 31.95.

Other finishes for the Southwestern boys were: Ethan Besse, third, 100 fly, 1:12.16 and fourth, 100 back, 1:12.49; Andrew Stoner, third, 100 breast, 1:24.43 and fourth, 200 IM, 2:42.56; Besse, Stoner, Logan Williams and Geary, third, 200 medley relay, 2:07.79 and second, 200 free relay, 1:59.44; and Williams, fourth, 100 free, 1:16.50 and sixth, 50 free, 31.95.

Madison returns to action on Thursday when it hosts Jennings County. The Cubs then host their own Invitational on Saturday.

Southwestern travels to Lawrenceburg on Saturday.

•Shawe

Continued from Page B1

two free throws by Stuart but the Eagles flashed their ability to shoot from the perimeter and finished the half with a 3-pointer each by Ohlmansiek and Comer for a 37-20 halftime lead.

Jac-Cen-Del hit six 3-pointers in the first half and finished with eight for the game which put a strain on Shawe's defense. Shawe started out in a zone to counter the Eagles' length but the Hilltoppers were then forced to switch defenses in order to combat the perimeter shooting. The adjustment allowed the Eagles numerous opportunities to penetrate in the second half and keep their lead intact.

Will Neal scored 11 points in the third quarter, including eight points off of inside shots and free throws combined, as Jac-Cen-Del held a 20-point lead through three quarters. The Eagles went inside for three more buckets in the fourth quarter and hit four free throws to push the lead to as much as 21 points before settling on the 64-44 final score.

"If you play zone but they are hitting the three, you've got to go man-to-man," Hambrick said. "If we go man-to-man, they (Jac-Cen-Del) are quick enough to dive to the hole and they get their cutters. You have to pick your poison. Do you go out and guard them or do you let them shoot the three? It's the third game of the year and we are just taking this one practice and one game at a time."

On the Shawe side, its two top scorers, Stuart and Henry Grote, both hit double figures but the duo never seemed to find a rhythm or get in sync with each other.

Stuart, who led all scorers with 17 points, scored eight in the first half before finally establishing a presence in the post with the ball in the fourth quarter to score nine points in the frame. Grote flashed his 3-point shooting abilities and drilled five en route to 16 points but the junior was scoreless during Stuart's run in the fourth period.

Hambrick says as the season goes on, a big key will be to get the two to develop an inside-outside combo that will benefit both players and the rest of the team.

"That's our main two weapons," Hambrick said of Stuart and Henry Grote. "If we get the ball down low to Ethan and he is double- and triple-teamed, that's when we need Henry to spot up for a three on the outside. And that's where one of my frustrations was tonight. We weren't getting the ball down to Ethan but when he gets it, he gets a lot of attention. As soon as he does that he can score and get fouled or he can pass the ball out for a three. We can't wait until late in the game to do that."

Neal led Jac-Cen-Del with 16 points and Ohlmansiek added 14 points with 12 of those points coming in the second half. Nine players reached the score column for the Eagles.

Shawe (1-2, 0-1 ORVC) hosts county rival Class 2A No. 8 Southwestern in an ORVC girls-boys doubleheader on Friday. The Hilltoppers then host Madison Christian on Monday.

TUESDAY'S BOYS GAME
at Osgood
JAC-CEN-DEL 64, SHAWE 44

SHAWE	**7**	**13**	**14**	**10**	**— 44**
JAC-CEN-DEL	**22**	**15**	**17**	**10**	**— 64**

SHAWE (1-2, 0-1 ORVC) — Stuart 17, H. Grote 16, Cole 6, J. Grote 3, May 2, Goins 0, Powers 0.
JAC-CEN-DEL (2-1, 1-0 ORVC) — Neal 16, Ohlmansiek 14, Simon 8, Baber 7, Comer 6, Menchhofer 5, Gehl 4, Hughes 2, Ledford 2, Deal 0.

3-Point Goals — Shawe 5 (H. Grote 5), Jac-Cen-Del 8 (Ohlmansiek 4, Neal 1, Comer 1, Simon 1, Menchhofer 1). **Turnovers —** Shawe 19, Jac-Cen-Del 19. **Total Fouls —** Shawe 15, Jac-Cen-Del 20. **Free Throws —** Shawe 13-21, Jac-Cen-Del 14-20. **Fouled Out —** Shawe: Goins. Jac-Cen-Del: Comer.

TAKING AIM: Shawe's Grayson May (22) takes aim as Jac-Cen-Del's Christian Comer (32) attempts the block during Tuesday's game in Osgood. (Staff photo by David Campbell)

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF JEFFERSON COUNTY, INDIANA
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF WAYNE M. JENKINS, DECEASED.
Notice is hereby given that Kerry Wayne Jenkins was, on the 22nd day of November, 2019, appointed personal representative of the estate of Wayne M. Jenkins, deceased, who died on the 25th day of July, 2019.
All persons who have claims against this estate, whether or not now due, must file the claim in the office of the Clerk of this Court within three (3) months from the date of the first publication of this notice, or within nine (9) months after the decedent's death, whichever is earlier, or the claims will be forever barred.
Dated at Madison, Indiana, this 22nd day of November, 2019.
Tabatha Eblen
Clerk of the Circuit Court
of Jefferson County, IN
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NOTICE
The Ryker's Ridge Water Company will elect (3) members to its Board of Directors at its Annual Meeting on January 27th, 2020. The meeting will start at 6:30 p.m. At the company office at 3217 N. Jefferson Lake Rd. If you wish to be a candidate for the board send your name along with the signatures of three water company members to: Ryker's Ridge Water Company, P.O. Box 1027, Madison, IN 47250, Attn: Nominating committee. This letter must be postmarked by January 13, 2020.
C12/5 hspaxlp

NOTICE OF REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES

THE BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES OF MADISON CONSOLIDATED SCHOOLS WILL CONDUCT A REGULAR MEETING ON WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 2019, AT THE ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, 2421 WILSON AVENUE, MADISON, INDIANA. THE REGULAR MEETING WILL BEGIN AT 6:00 P.M.

DR. JEFFERY T. STUDEBAKER,
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NOTICE: Any member of the public who will be attending the board meeting and who will need an auxiliary aide should contact the Superintendent's Office at 812-274-8107 at least four (4) business days prior to the meeting to permit advance preparation.

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TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE MATTER OF THE STUCKER FORK CONSERVANCY DISTRICT

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BOARD OF DIRECTORS
NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING
OF THE DISTRICT
AND CANCELATION OF
ELECTION OF ONE MEMBER
OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
OF SAID DISTRICT TO
REPRESENT AREA 3 SINCE
SOLE NOMINEE IS
UNOPPOSED.
THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS, STUCKER FORK CONSERVANCY DISTRICT, OF SCOTT AND JEFFERSON COUNTIES, INDIANA, HEREBY GIVES NOTICE THAT THE ANNUAL MEETING OF SAID DISTRICT SHALL BE HELD AT 4:00 P.M. EST, MONDAY, DECEMBER 16, 2019, AT THE OFFICE OF SAID DISTRICT AT 2260 N US 31, AUSTIN, INDIANA.

ADDITIONALLY THE PURPOSES OF SAID MEETING TO BE HELD AS SET OUT ABOVE AND PREVIOUSLY ADVERTISED AS PROVIDED BY LAW:

(A) NAMELY THE ELECTION OF ONE (1) MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF SAID DISTRICT TO REPRESENT AREA THREE (3) AS PREVIOUSLY ORDERED BY THE SCOTT CIRCUIT COURT – TO BE ELECTED FOR A TERM OF FOUR (4) YEARS BEGINNING ON DECEMBER 16, 2019. SCOTT HOWSER BEING THE ONLY PERSON NOMINATED PURSUANT TO LAW FOR SAID OFFICE OF DIRECTOR TO BE VOTED ON AT SAID MEETING.

SAID NOMINEE HAVING FILED PRIOR TO THE STATUTORY DEADLINE OF SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 2019 AND THEREFORE AS PROVIDED BY LAW THE SAID SCOTT HOWSER IS DETERMINED TO BE ELECTED AS PROVIDED BY I.C. 14-33-5-11.5 AS ADDED BY P.L. 16-2010, SECTION 2 ENACTED BY THE INDIANA GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

THEREFORE NO ELECTION SHALL BE HELD ON MONDAY, DECEMBER, 16, 2019.

(B) THE ELECTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF SAID DISTRICT TO INCLUDE THE ELCTION OF THE OFFICERS OF SAID BOARD, THE SAME BEING A CHAIRMAN, VICE CHAIRMAN, AND SECRETARY TO SERVICE FOR A PERIOD OF ONE (1) YEAR UNTIL THE 2020 ANNUAL MEETING THEREOF.

(C) TO TRANSACT SUCH OTHER BUSINESS OF THE DISTRICT AS MAY COME BEFORE THE BOARD.

THIS NOTICE GIVEN AS PROVIDED BY LAW MAINLY, AN ACT RELATING TO CONSERVANCY DISTRICTS, THE SAME BEING ACTS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, 1957, CHAPTER 308, SECTION 38, AND ALL ACTS AMENDATORY THERETO.

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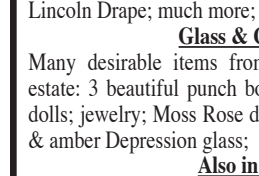

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3 WAVE	6	2	News	News	News	News	Saturday Night Live CC				Making It (N)		News
4 WTTV	4		News	CBS	Theory	Theory	Sheldon	Unicorn	Mom	Carol's	Evil (N) CC		News
5 WLWT	2		News	News	Holly	Extra	Saturday Night Live CC				Making It (N)		News
8 WISH	12		News 8 at 6PM		Inside	ET	Supernatural (N)		Legacies (N)		News 8 at 10PM		News
9 WCPO	23		9 On	ABC	9 On	The List	Charlie Brown		"Same Time, Next Christmas"				9 On
11 WHAS	11	4	News	ABC	ET	Inside	Charlie Brown		"Same Time, Next Christmas"				News
15 WKPC	13		News	Busi	PBS NewsHour		Great Performances CC			Kentucky Life			World
19 WXIX	10		Wheel	FOX19	J'pardy!	Pre	NFL Football Dallas Cowboys at Chicago Bears. (N) CC						
32 WLKY	5	5	News	CBS	Wheel	J'pardy!	Sheldon	Unicorn	Mom	Carol's	Evil (N) CC		News
34 WBKI	7	7	Last	Last	Mod	Theory	Supernatural (N)		Legacies (N)		News	Sports	News
41 WDRB	8	9	News	News	Judge	Pre	NFL Football Dallas Cowboys at Chicago Bears. (N) CC						
A&E	28	36	PD Cam	PD Cam	PD Cam	PD Cam	PD Cam	PD Cam	Court	Court	Live PD: Wanted		PD Cam
AMC	29	26	★★★ "Elf" (2003) Will Ferrell. CC				★★ "Four Christmases" (2008)				"Miracle on 34th Street"		
COM	45	59	(:15) The Office		Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Daily
DISC	31	38	Afraid		Afraid		Afraid		Naked and Afraid (N) CC				
DISN	25	29	Jessie	Jessie	Sydney	Bunk'd	Raven	Just	Jessie	Jessie	Stuck/Middle		Raven
ESPN	32	44	SportsCenter (N)		Women's College Basketball				Women's College Basketball				SportC
FREE	18	40	"Arthur	"Nightmare-Christmas"				"Dr. Seuss' How Grinch Stole Christmas"					700
FX	40	28	(4:30) "Sicario"		★★★ "The Lord of the Rings: The Fellowship of the Ring" (2001)								"Lord
HBO	201	17	"Rise of the Planet of the Apes"				Watchmen CC		Lil Rel Howery		(:05) ★★★ "Shazam!"		
MAX	270	73	"Delta	(:20) ★★ "Reclaim"			★★★★ "Jaws" (1975) CC				(:05) ★★ "Jaws 2" (1978)		
PARMT	35	41	Two	Two	Two	Two	★★ "S.W.A.T." (2003) Samuel L. Jackson. CC						"SWAT
SHOW	221	16	(5:50) Shameless		(6:50) ★★★ "The Fugitive" (1993)				★★★ "At Eternity's Gate" (2018)				Gigolos
TMC	233	74	(5:55) ★★ "Absolute Power"				"Catcher-Spy"			(:35) ★★ "Valkyrie" (2008) CC			
TNT	27	43	Bones CC		Bones CC		★★ "A Christmas Carol" (1999)				★★ "A Christmas Carol"		
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WGN-A	20	20	Blue Bloods		Last	Last	Last	Last	Last	Last	Last	Last	Last

FRIDAY EVENING

	Jefferson Switzerland	Trimble/ Carroll	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00
3 WAVE	6	2	News	News	News	News	The Blacklist (N)		Dateline NBC (N) CC				News
4 WTTV	4		News	CBS	Theory	Theory	Hawaii Five-0 (N)		Magnum P.I. (N)		Blue Bloods (N)		News
5 WLWT	2		News	News	Holly	Extra	The Blacklist (N)		Dateline NBC (N) CC				The
8 WISH	12		News 8 at 6PM		Inside	ET	Charmed (N)		Dynasty (N) CC		News 8 at 10PM		News
9 WCPO	23		9 On	ABC	9 On	The List	College Football: Pac-12 Championship: Teams TBA						9 On
11 WHAS	11	4	News	ABC	ET	Inside	College Football: Pac-12 Championship: Teams TBA						News
15 WKPC	13		News	Busi	PBS NewsHour		Com	Wash	Aretha Franklin			Aging Backwrd	
19 WXIX	10		Jeop	FOX19	Wheel	J'pardy!	WWE Friday Night SmackDown (N)				FOX19		Final
32 WLKY	5	5	News	CBS	Wheel	J'pardy!	Hawaii Five-0 (N)		Magnum P.I. (N)		Blue Bloods (N)		News
34 WBKI	7	7	Last	Last	Mod	Theory	Charmed (N)		Dynasty (N) CC		Theory	black-	Two
41 WDRB	8	9	News	News	Judge	Judge	WWE Friday Night SmackDown (N)				News	Sports	News
A&E	28	36	(5:00) Live PD CC				Live PD: Rewind		Live PD "Live PD -- 12.06.19" (N) CC				
AMC	29	26	★★ "Four Christmases" (2008)				★★ "Christmas With the Kranks"				(:05) ★★ "Fred Claus"		
COM	45	59	(:15) South Park		South	South	South	South	South	South	South	South	South
DISC	31	38	Gold Rush CC		Gold Rush: Pay		Gold Rush: Pay		Gold Rush (N) CC				Out
DISN	25	29	Jessie CC		Sydney	Raven	Raven	Just	Gabby	Bunk'd	Coop	Raven	Just
ESPN	32	44	SportsCenter (N)		NBA Countdown		NBA Basketball: Nuggets at Celtics					NBA Basketball	
FREE	18	40	"Dr. Seuss' How-Grinch"				Frosty	Rudolph		★★★ "The Santa Clause" (1994)			
FX	40	28	"How to Train Your Dragon 2"				★★★ "The Secret Life of Pets"				"The Secret Life of Pets"		
HBO	201	17	(5:50) ★★ "The Ringer"			Silicon	(:05) ★★ "Unknown" (2011)				Watchmen CC		"Up
MAX	270	73	(5:55) ★★ "Mr. Brooks" (2007)				★★★ "The Mustang"			(:40) ★★ "The Gunman" (2015)			
PARMT	35	41	Two	Two	Two	Two	★★★ "The Bourne Identity" (2002) Matt Damon.						"Bourn
SHOW	221	16	"Ac	(:25) ★★ "Poetic Justice"			(:15) "A Bad Moms Christmas"				Flack (N) CC		Griffin
TMC	233	74	"Juras	"The Aspern Papers"			★★★ "Sense and Sensibility" (1995) CC					"Dead Again"	
TNT	27	43	Bones CC		Bones CC		★★★★ "The Wizard of Oz" (1939)				(:15) ★★ "Maleficent"		
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WGN-A	20	20	Blue Bloods		Last	Last	Last	Last	Last	Last	Last	Last	Last

Missed shots haunt Trimble Co. in loss to Frankfort

IN THE LANE: Trimble County's Shelby Wilcoxson (above, 34) splits the Frankfort defense of Jamaya Chenault (41) and Claire Irish (13) during Monday's game in Bedford. The Raiders' Abby Ponder (right, 31) fires a shot over the Panthers' defense. (Staff photos by David Campbell)

Wilcoxson scores 25 for the Raiders

By DAVID CAMPBELL
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Trimble County had everything in its favor, but too many missed shots spelled doom for the Raiders in a 44-41 loss to Frankfort at home in the girls basketball season opener on Monday.

Trimble held a better than 2-to-1 advantage in foul shots and committed fewer turnovers. But other than 23 second span in the third quarter, the Raiders never held a lead over the final three quarters.

Needless to say, it was a disappointing performance for Trimble coach Kerrie Stewart.

"We missed way too many easy shots. And not just at the end of the game," Stewart said. "Sometimes you look at the ones at the end of the game and think that's the difference-maker but it's not. It's the shots that you miss throughout the entire game that makes the difference."

Trimble County (0-1) got Frankfort in serious foul trouble in the first half by aggressively going inside and forcing the action. The result was a 10-6 Raider lead with two minutes to go in the opening quarter.

But Trimble was unable to build on that lead and Frankfort (1-0) closed the quarter with a pair of 3-pointers by Gracie Edelen and Jamaya Chenault to take a 12-10 lead.

Trimble spent the next three quarters chasing the Panthers, largely to no avail. Other than junior Shelby Wilcoxson, who was unstoppable at times, none of the other Raiders could consistently find a way to put the ball in the basket.

Wilcoxson scored all of her team's points in the third quarter and at one point, had 25 of the Raiders' 35 points overall. Trimble found some other sources for points over the final quarter, but it was not nearly enough.

"We've not seen that in our scrimmages or our practices. We've been very balanced, getting scoring from three or four different people," Stewart said. "They all know that they're capable. I think we just got rattled from the beginning tonight and never did quite recover from that.:

Trailing 42-37 with 3:29 to play, Trimble cut the lead to one after baskets by Emma Ginn and Colby O'Connor and had the ball with a chance to the take the lead. But the Raiders missed shots on four-straight possessions — including a layup — before Frankfort's Ti'Anna Mitchell hit two free throws with 35 seconds left to push the lead to three.

Two more missed shots by Trimble over the final 30 seconds ended the game.

Wilcoxson finished the night with 25 points to lead all scorers but no other Raider was in double figures. Ginn had eight points and O'Connor scored five.

Chenault hit three 3-pointers and scored 18 points to lead Frankfort with Mitchell adding 12 points.

Trimble County returns to action on Friday when it travels to Carroll County.

Raiders fall at Grant

Trimble County's boys basketball team suffered an 87-36 loss at Grant County in its season opener on Monday.

The Raiders, now 0-1, travel to Carroll County on Thursday.

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MONDAY'S GIRLS GAME
at Bedford, Ky.
FRANKFORT 44, TRIMBLE CO. 41

FRANKFORT	**12**	**14**	**7**	**11**	**— 44**
TRIMBLE CO.	**10**	**13**	**8**	**10**	**— 41**

FRANKFORT (1-0) — Chenault 18, Mitchell 12, Walker 5, Clare 3, Edelen 3, Close 2, Ellis 1, Irish 0.
TRIMBLE CO. (0-1) — Wilcoxson 25, Ginn 8, O'Connor 5, Ponder 3, Craig 0, Bromwell 0, Jent 0, Horn 0.

3-Point Goals — Frankfort 5 (Chenault 3, Clare 1, Edelen 1), Trimble Co. 3 (Wilcoxson 2, O'Connor 1). **Total Fouls** — Frankfort 15, Trimble Co. 14. **Free Throws** — Frankfort 5-8, Trimble Co. 12-15. **Fouled Out** — Frankfort: Edelen. Trimble Co.: Ponder.

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Final week of Homes Tour

Tickets still available to see historic houses

The Strouse home at 112 West First Street was finished in May 2019 and incorporates an existing structure that served as a body shop for many years and a place where boat-enthusiasts could be found talking with owner Jon Peddie, a Miss Madison driver, as he worked. Much of the work on the building was done by local craftsmen. (Courier staff photos by Collin Overton)

By COLLIN OVERTON
Courier staff writer

More than 2,000 tickets have so far been sold for the Nights Before Christmas Candlelight Tour of Homes, a two-weekend event where visitors tour a number of historic or unique Madison homes, as well as local businesses and landmarks.

Through the first weekend — Nov. 29-30 — at least 2,031 adult tickets and 13 tickets for ages 5-12, than have so far been sold, said Marci Jones, a coordinator with Visit Madison Inc. and Nights Before Christmas. About two-thirds of those have been through pre-sales, and the numbers don't account for the several other outlets selling tickets for the tour, she said. Those totals won't be known until after this weekend.

This year, seven new homes have been added to the tour, and three different houses have already been announced for 2020.

Jones said she usually looks for historic houses downtown to include on the tour, but not all homes have to be hundreds of years old, such as the Strouse home on 112 West First St.

Years ago, the lot on which the Strouse home sits was home to Peddie's Body Shop, owned and operated by the late Jon Peddie of Miss Madison boat racing fame. In the time since Peddie died, Madison resident Carey Strouse has built a two-story house that incorporates the former body shop into its structure and features work from local craftsmen Roger Welch, David Schrock and Daniel Girod, as well as Madison Iron Works. Construction was completed in May of 2019.

Other spots, like the smaller Helton home on 708 West Main Street, have served a number of purposes throughout the years.

Built around 1941 and added onto in 1955, the small house next to Shelter Insurance has served as a barber shop, frame shop, living space for tenants and a storage space for antiques before Jan Helton decided to make it a home in 2017.

Local landmarks like the Lanier Mansion, St. John's United Church of Christ and Jefferson County Historical Society are also stops on the tour.

Visitors can stop by one of three hospitality sites for refreshments and a chance to tour local businesses.

Tour hours are 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. Friday, Dec. 6 and 3 p.m. to 9 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 7.

Those wanting to go can buy tickets all the way to Saturday online at Eventbrite, at the Madison Visitors Center during tour hours or at some businesses that have tickets to sell.

PETS OF THE WEEK

AVA

Ava is a one-year-old pit mix who loves to run and play all day. She would love to have a little fur friend to run and play with. She is great with kids, dogs and even cats. She is very energetic and spunky and needs a little bit of leash training. She is still a puppy who needs some obedience training. She also has a very unique set of ears where one is always up and on high alert while the other is flapped down and lazy.

The Madison-Jefferson County Animal Shelter currently has 10 dogs or puppies, and 22 cats or kittens available. Pictures of additional pets waiting for adoption can be viewed at www.sisaveapet.com

Normal shelter hours are Monday, Thursday and Friday from noon to 5 p.m., Wednesday from 1 p.m. to 7 p.m., Saturday from noon to 4 p.m., and Sunday from noon to 3 p.m. It is closed Tuesday. The shelter number is (812) 273-1788 and the email is animal.shelter39@jefferson-county.in.gov

All cats and kittens are $45 off unless they are already spay or neutered. Discount is courtesy of the Animal Shelter and the Jefferson County Humane Society.

Volunteers are always welcome at the shelter. Individuals must be at least 16 years old to volunteer. Volunteers can help with everyday cleaning, answering phones, and exercising the pets. Contact the shelter for details.

The shelter is a registered organization with the Kroger Community Rewards program. To support the shelter, register a Kroger card at www.krogercommunityrewards.com and enter FL919.

Support the shelter while walking your dog. Use the "Walk for a Dog" or "Woof-Trax" app available through the App Store or Google Play. For each mile walked, a donation is made to the shelter.

A list of needed items can be found on the shelter website. Donations can be mailed to 2727 Hannah Drive, Madison, IN 47250 or dropped off during shelter hours. The shelter also accepts aluminum and steel cans, which are recycled and the proceeds put toward the medical fund. The shelter asks that aluminum and steel donations be separated. Steel cans should also be rinsed before they are dropped off. Cans can be dropped off at anytime in a bin located on the east side of the shelter.

Those with missing pets can stop by the shelter, call or email a complete description of the pet, when and where it was last seen, the owner's name and contact information, and a picture of the pet. Pets are held for three days before they are made available for adoption.

Animals should not be abandoned outside of the shelter or dropped off at the shelter after hours.

For animal control issues in Madison, call (812) 265-3347. For animal control issues in Hanover and Jefferson County, call (812) 265-2648.

CINNAMON

Cinnamon is a one-year-old domestic short hair. She is a young girl who loves to be held and loves to receive belly rubs. She is a little bit on the lazy side and would love to have a permanent window seat to lie down and take a nap. She is not a fan of dogs, so a home without one would be nice.

MUSIC

See Charlie's Beat in the A Section for popular music offerings this weekend.

EVENTS

December 6

Music at Trinity United Methodist Church: Stephanie Pestana, a semi-finalist for the New Tang Dynasty International Piano Competition and Associate Instructor at Indiana Universirty, will perform classical piano at 7 p.m. at Trinity United Methodist Church. This will include music by Chopin, Mozart, Ravel and Schumann.

December 7

Holiday Craft Fair: Join this craft fair from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Tech Building at 708 W. Semminary St. in Vevay. There will be over 30 craft booths, a pie contest and Homemaker's food booth. Pies for the pie contest can be delivered from 8 a.m. yo 9:30 a.m. and judging will begin at 10 a.m. Admission for the fair is free.

10th Annual Christmas Craft Show: See the Christmas parade and then visit with Santa and Mrs. Claus from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at the Brown Gym. The Madison Community Band will perform at 1 p.m. Admission is free and proceeds will benefit senior programs and events. For more information, call David Stucker at 812-265-8308.

2019 Very Merry Madison Christmas Parade: German American Bank presents the 2019 Very Merry Madison Christmas Parade starting at 11 a.m. The parade route will begin at Jefferson and Main streets and will continue through Madison's historic shopping district to Mill Street.

Live Music: John Sheckler: Local folk musician John Sheckler will play original and traditional songs on a mountain lap dulcimer from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. at the Village Lights Bookstore. For more information, go to www.villagelightsbooks.com or call 812-265-1800.

Tribute to Country Legends and Christmas Show: This show will be from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. at Clifty Inn and will pay tribute to Johnny Cash, Roy Orbison, George Jones and Tammy Wynette, performed by Wyatt Miller, Paul Penny, Al Hilbert and Tiffany Puckett. Tickets are $20. For more information or to buy tickets, call 812-265-4135.

December 8

Jim Hutson Concert: Jim Hutson, formerly of "The Woodsmen" quartet, will perform a solo Christmas concert at the First Christian Church of Hanover at 6:30 p.m. Admission is free but a free will offering will be taken. Everyone is invited to attend.

December 9

Big Oaks Conservation Society Christmas Party: This annual Christas party will begin at 5 p.m. Dec. 14 with dinner beginning at 6 p.m. at the Old Timbers lodge on Big Oaks National Wildlife Refuge. This event will be catered by Rolling Pin. The cost for dinner is $20 for adults, $10 for children ages 8 to 16 and younger than 8 are free. Reservations are due by Dec. 9 and can be mailed to BOCS, P.O. Box 935, Madison.

December 10

Jr. 4-H Leaders Christmas Caroling: Join in the caroling at 6 p.m. at Thornton Terrace. For more information, call Bess Adams at 812-866-4983.

December 13

Santa's Dance Party Christmas Celebration: Bring the whole family to the Trimble County Library's Santa Dance Party from 5:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. Dress up in your Christmas finest for pictures with Santa. There will be a caricature artist in the Library to draw a fun portrait of your group. There will also be cookies to decorate and DJ Shannon Edds will play some holiday tunes. For more information, go to www.trimblelibrary.org or call the library at 502-255-7362.

This Week's
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A Christmas Carol: The 8th annual performance of "A Christmas Carol" at Gallery 115 will start at 6:30 p.m. This abridged version will last about 45 minutes and will be read by Bob Hartsaw. Pre-show music will be performed by the Mad Towne Dulcimers at 5:45 p.m. Admission is free. Kids can wear pajamas and sit on the floor by the fire place. The kitchen will remain open until 5:45 p.m. For more information, call 812-274-4371.

THEATER

Christmas in the Land of Oz: The Jennings County Players will kick off the holiday seasong with "Christmas in the Land of Oz." The Witcked Witch of the West will become the grinch of this holiday play when she steals Christmas from Munchkinland. This will be performed at 7:30 p.m. Dec. 6 and Dec. 7 and at 2 p.m. on Dec. 8 at the Park Theatre. Tickets can be purchased in advance or at the door before each performance at the Park Theatre at 25 N. Madison Avenue in downtown North Vernon. Tickets are $8 for adults in advance and $10 at the door, $3 for students and $1 for pre-school children. For more information, call the Park Theatre Civic Centre at 812-346-0330.

Annual Christmas Play: Bedford Christian Church will perform its annual Christmas Play on Thursday, Dec. 12 and Friday, Dec. 13 at 7 p.m. The event is free and open to the public. Refreshments will follow the performance with a love offering for the Hands of Christ Food Pantry. This church is at 209 U.S. 42 in Bedford, Kentucky. This year's play is called "Window Dressings" about a holiday window designer for the famous Mason's department store. Her professional career rests on yet another successful creation of the perfect Christmas display, which leads to her finding true faith and Christmas spirit.

It's A Wonderful Life: The Madison Community Players will perform "It's A Wonderful Life: A Live Radio Play" on Dec. 13 and Dec. 14 at 7 p.m. and Dec. 15 at 2:30 p.m. at the Jefferson County History Center. Admission is $10 and reservations must be made for parties of 10 or more. For more information, call 812-493-3357 or go to www.madisoninplayers.org

Elf the Musical: Follow Buddy the Elf in his quest to find his true identity. This modern-day holiday classic is sure to make

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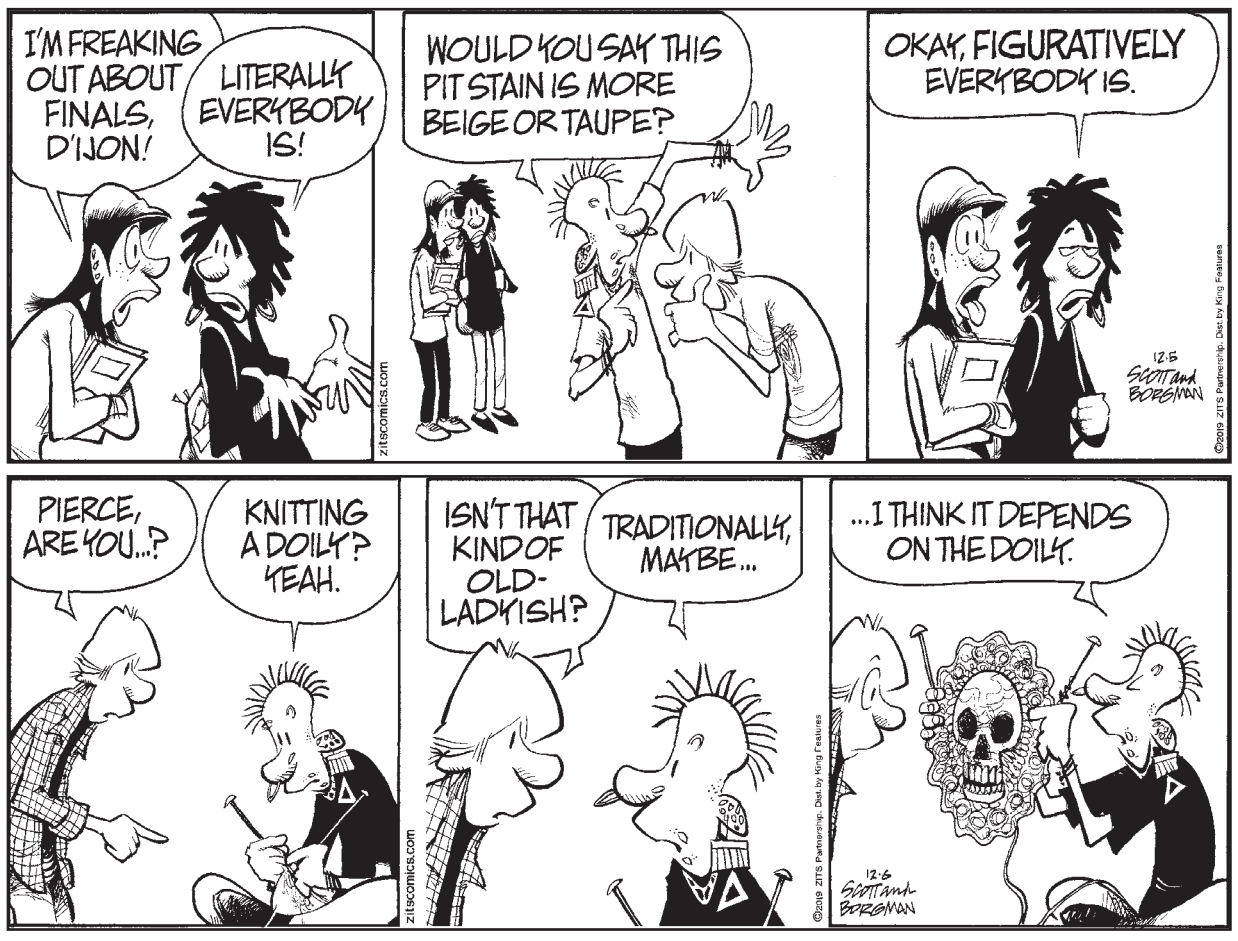
I'M FREAKING OUT ABOUT FINALS, D'IJON!
LITERALLY EVERYBODY IS!
WOULD YOU SAY THIS PIT STAIN IS MORE BEIGE OR TAUPE?
OKAY, FIGURATIVELY EVERYBODY IS.
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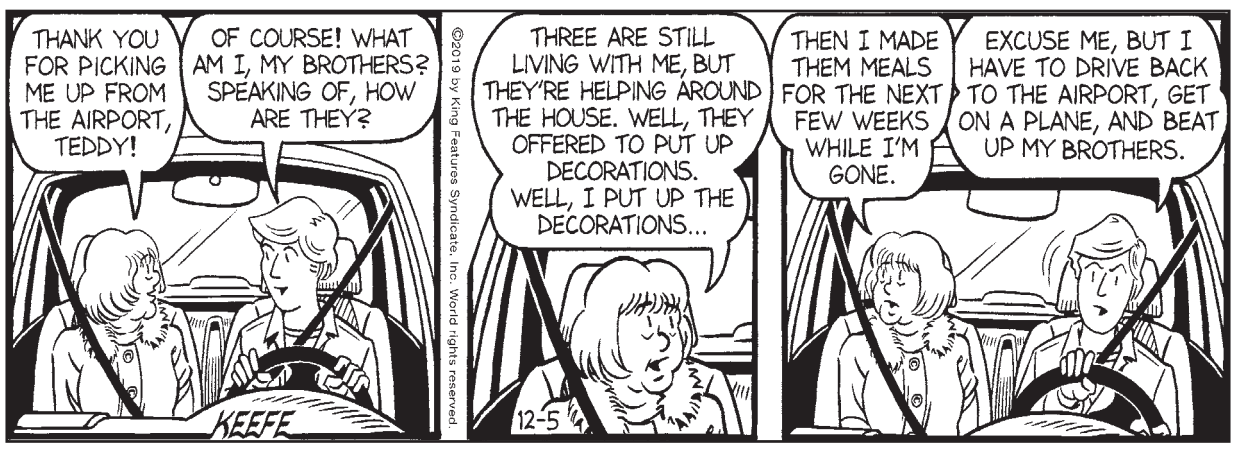
PIERCE, ARE YOU...?
KNITTING A DOILY? YEAH.
ISN'T THAT KIND OF OLD-LADYISH?
TRADITIONALLY, MAYBE...
...I THINK IT DEPENDS ON THE DOILY.

SALLY FORTH


THANK YOU FOR PICKING ME UP FROM THE AIRPORT, TEDDY!
OF COURSE! WHAT AM I, MY BROTHERS? SPEAKING OF, HOW ARE THEY?
THREE ARE STILL LIVING WITH ME, BUT THEY'RE HELPING AROUND THE HOUSE. WELL, THEY OFFERED TO PUT UP DECORATIONS. WELL, I PUT UP THE DECORATIONS...
THEN I MADE THEM MEALS FOR THE NEXT FEW WEEKS WHILE I'M GONE.
EXCUSE ME, BUT I HAVE TO DRIVE BACK TO THE AIRPORT, GET ON A PLANE, AND BEAT UP MY BROTHERS.
KEEFE
GRANDMA!
OH MY! LOOK HOW BIG YOU'VE GOTTEN!
NOW, WHO WANTS TO HELP GRANDMA MAKE CHRISTMAS COOKIES?
ME!
AND YET WHEN I ASKED HIL TO HELP MAKE CHRISTMAS COOKIES WITH ME, SHE SAID NO.
THAT'S BECAUSE YOU ACTUALLY EXPECTED HER TO HELP. MY MOM'S JUST GOING TO FEED HIL COOKIES.

BORN LOSER

I LIKE LOOKING THROUGH MY OLD COOKBOOKS, FROM TIME TO TIME, FOR MEAL IDEAS.
MY FAVORITE COOKBOOK IS "THE JOY OF COOKING," WHAT'S YOURS, MAMA?
HUMPH! "THE JOY OF GOING OUT FOR DINNER"!
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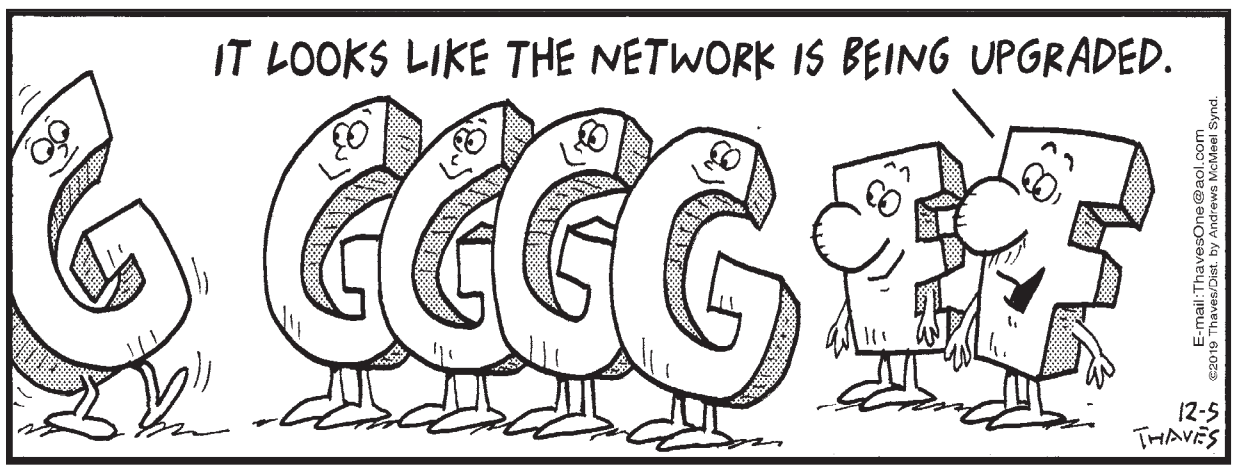

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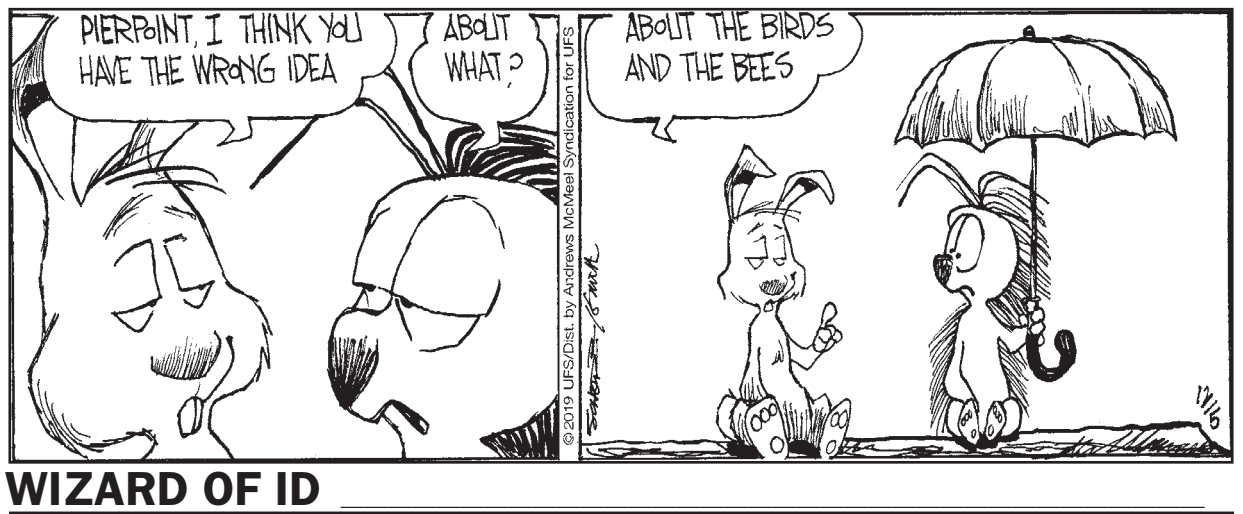
PIERPOINT, I THINK YOU HAVE THE WRONG IDEA
ABOUT WHAT?
ABOUT THE BIRDS AND THE BEES
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WIZARD OF ID

HMMM... LET'S SEE WHAT YOU HAVE FOR ME...
HA HA HA HA HA OH, MAN!
THE PART WHERE IT SAYS I'M CONCERNED ABOUT THE DEBT... EPIC!
WE NEED TO GET A FEW LAUGHS IN THERE
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BRIDGE

A CHANGE OF PACE FROM DOWN UNDER

There is one other independent English-language bridge publication: Australian Bridge.

It appears six times a year in a large-page format. Obviously the articles have an antipodean slant, but there is a bidding match (you may bid the hands first with your partner), an expert bidding panel and various quizzes.

In each issue, Ron Klinger sets two opening-lead problems. In this one, look at the West hand and the auction. What would you lead against four spades?

North was a tad cautious in raising only to three spades, but South compensated. (Those of you who employ the Losing Trick Count will know that both North and South were justified in bidding four spades.)

The deal occurred during this year's Asia-Pacific Open Teams. For Australia, Sartaj Hans (West) led the diamond five (third-highest from an even number or lowest from an odd number). Peter Gill (East) won with his jack, then carefully returned the diamond two, so that his partner could push a club through dummy's ace up to his king (necessary if South held the queen). The contract had to go down one.

At the other table, West unwisely led a spade. Andy Hung (South) drew trumps and played a heart from his hand. West won with his ace, but the damage had been done. Declarer's club losers disappeared on dummy's hearts.

As Klinger concluded: When choosing an opening lead against a suit contract, if dummy has shown a potential source of tricks in an outside suit, do not lead a trump or dummy's side suit.

North 12-05-19
♠ K Q 10 8
♥ K Q J 9 4
♦ Q 10
♣ A 4

West
♠ 9 5
♥ A 8 3 2
♦ K 8 5 4
♣ Q 10 2

East
♠ 3
♥ 10 6
♦ A J 9 7 2
♣ K J 8 7 3

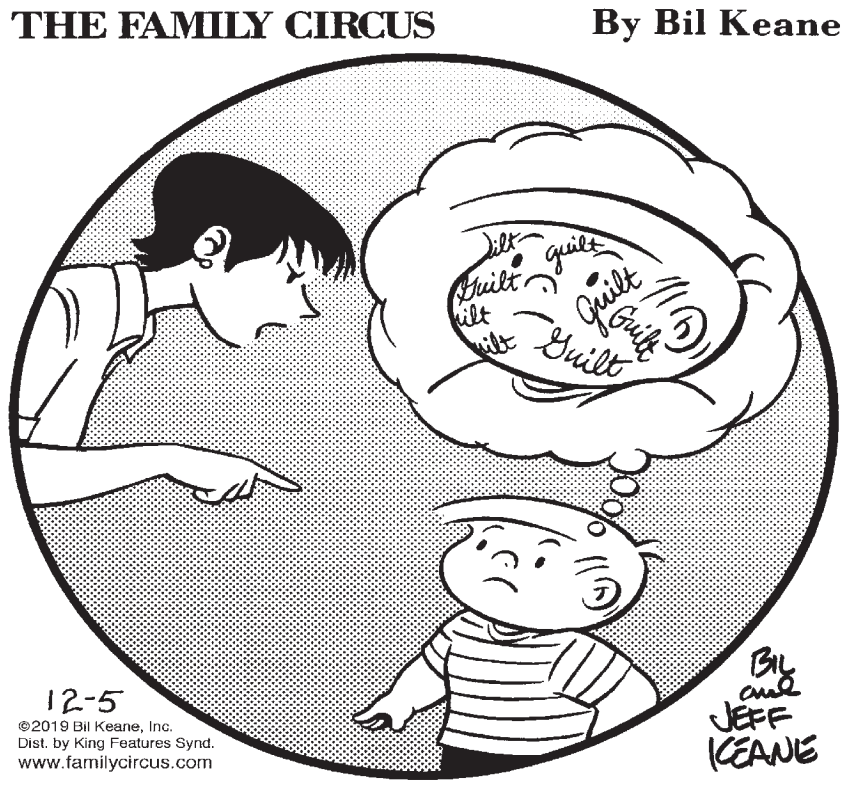
South
♠ A J 7 6 4 2
♥ 7 5
♦ 6 3
♣ 9 6 5

Dealer: North
Vulnerable: East-West

South	West	North	East
		1♥	Pass
1♠	Pass	3♠	Pass
4♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: ??

FAMILY CIRCLE



"You have guilt written all over your face."

CIPHER

CELEBRITY CIPHER

by Luis Campos

Celebrity Cipher cryptograms are created from quotations by famous people, past and present. Each letter in the cipher stands for another.

"S ... NFBY PYSXV ENSBY ... JT DEJSNT EXR JT CFOW ... KZY FMMFOKLXSKT KF RF KZSXVH ... KZEK'H CZEK ZEMMSXYHH SH."
— JSIZEYN U. DFA

Previous Solution: "I wake up in the morning and my heart is light, man. ... I don't have skeletons in the closet on their way out." — Drake

TODAY'S CLUE: M = e

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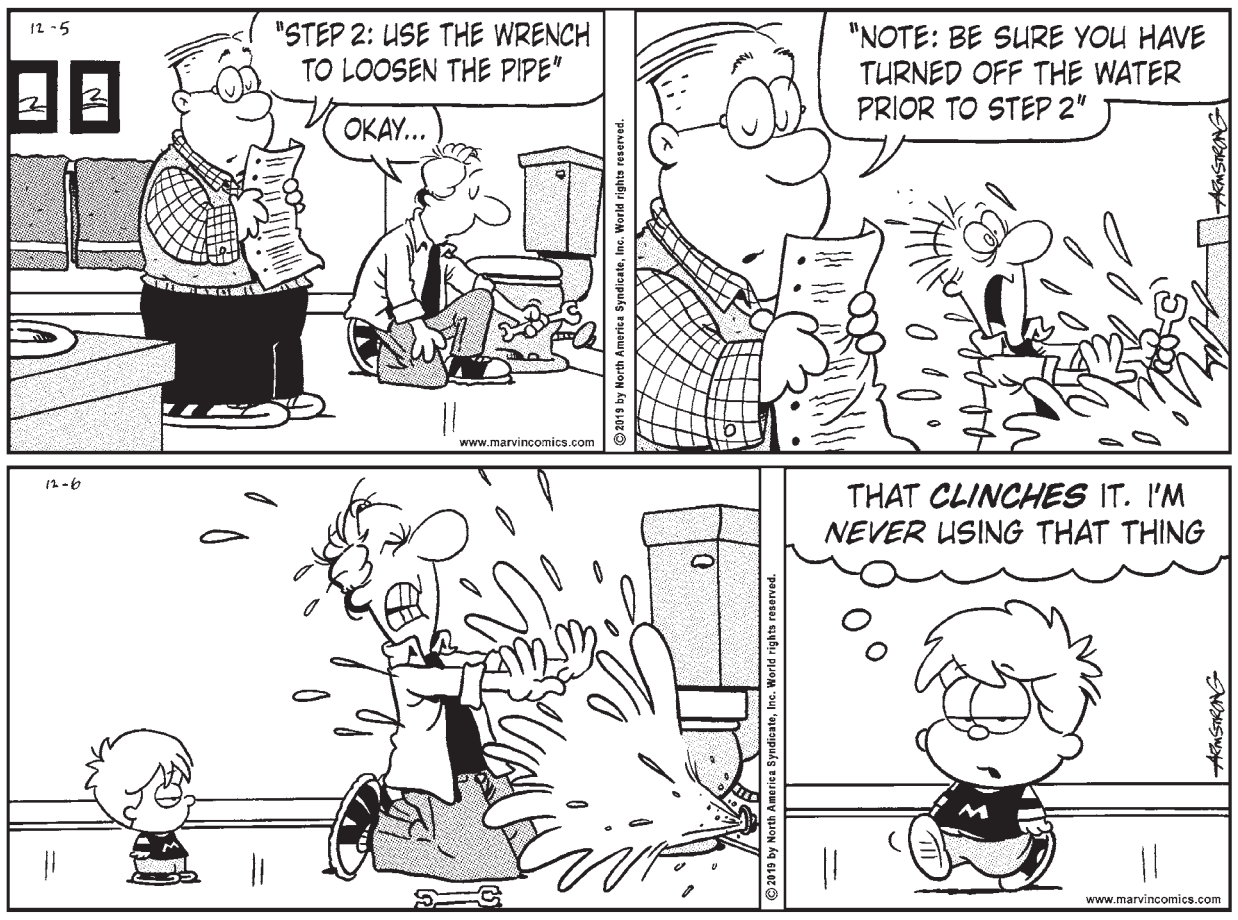
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"STEP 2: USE THE WRENCH TO LOOSEN THE PIPE"
OKAY...
"NOTE: BE SURE YOU HAVE TURNED OFF THE WATER PRIOR TO STEP 2"
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THAT CLINCHES IT. I'M NEVER USING THAT THING
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PEANUTS

YOU HAVE TO GIVE ME A CHRISTMAS PRESENT!
THAT'S THE CHRISTMAS RULE!! YOU CAN'T IGNORE THE CHRISTMAS RULE!!
I CAN DO ANYTHING I WANT! YOU HIT ME SO I'VE DECIDED NOT TO GIVE YOU ANYTHING FOR CHRISTMAS!
I MAY HAVE TO SUFFER MARTYRDOM...
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ALLEY OOP

LOOK AT THE FOURTH JUROR OVER THERE.
IS THAT...?
IT'S ONE OF THE RACCOONS I GENETICALLY MODIFIED. I DON'T THINK HE'S VERY HAPPY WITH ME.
NAH. I THINK HE'S JUST SUGGESTING THAT YOU'D LOOK NICE IN A TIE.
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LET US BEGIN THE TRIAL. PROSECUTOR, PLEASE PROCEED WITH YOUR OPENING STATEMENT.
THANK YOU, YOUR HONOR.
I INTEND TO SHOW THAT THESE SCOFFLAWS FROM UNIVERSE 2 HAVE BROKEN NUMEROUS FUNDAMENTAL TIME-TRAVEL LAWS. THEY SHOW COMPLETE DISREGARD FOR THE TIMELINE AND FABRIC OF THE MULTIVERSE.
ALSO, I ONCE SAW DR. WONMUG JAYWALKING.
OBJECTION!
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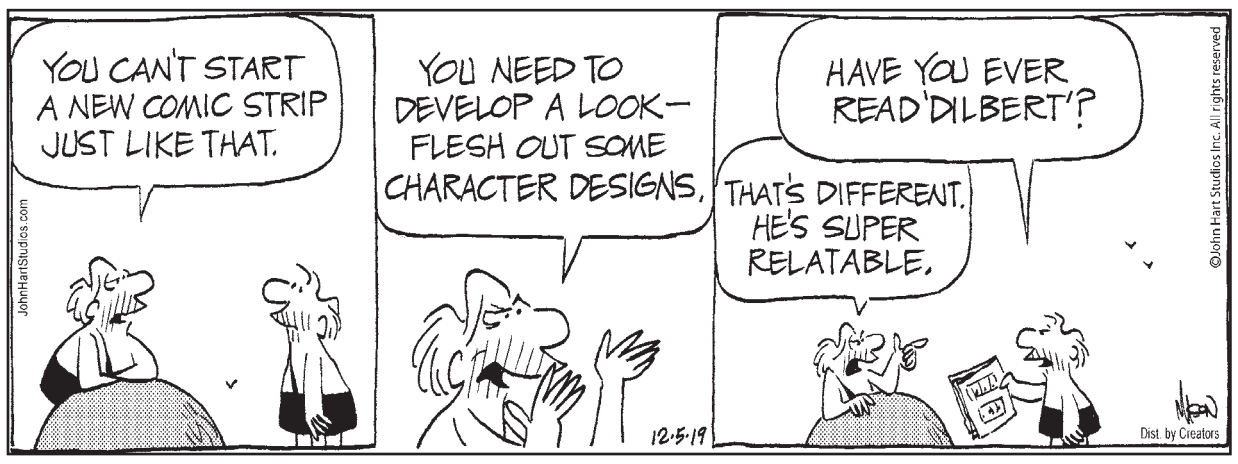
YOU CAN'T START A NEW COMIC STRIP JUST LIKE THAT.
YOU NEED TO DEVELOP A LOOK— FLESH OUT SOME CHARACTER DESIGNS.
HAVE YOU EVER READ 'DILBERT'?
THAT'S DIFFERENT. HE'S SUPER RELATABLE.
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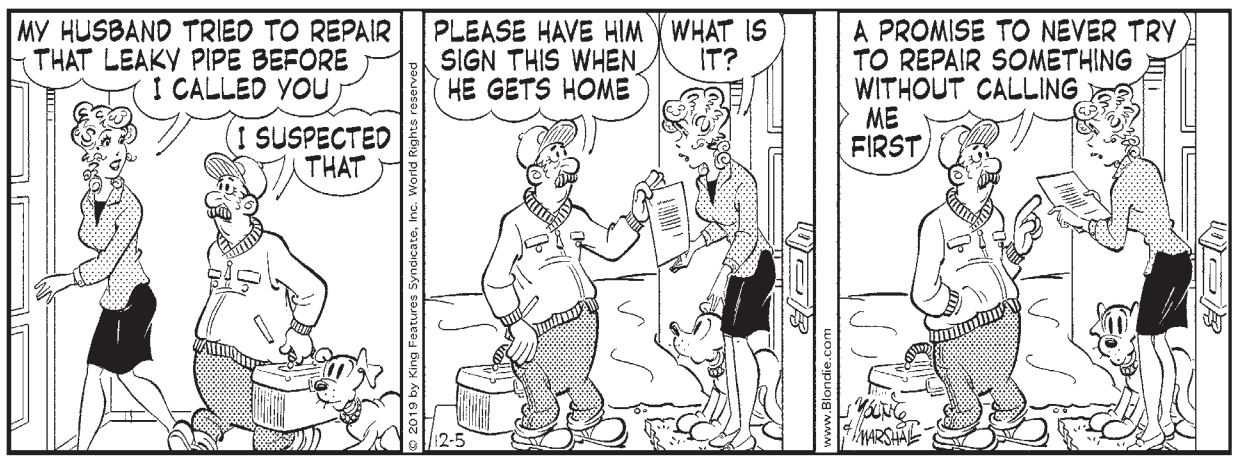
MY HUSBAND TRIED TO REPAIR THAT LEAKY PIPE BEFORE I CALLED YOU
I SUSPECTED THAT
PLEASE HAVE HIM SIGN THIS WHEN HE GETS HOME
WHAT IS IT?
A PROMISE TO NEVER TRY TO REPAIR SOMETHING WITHOUT CALLING ME FIRST
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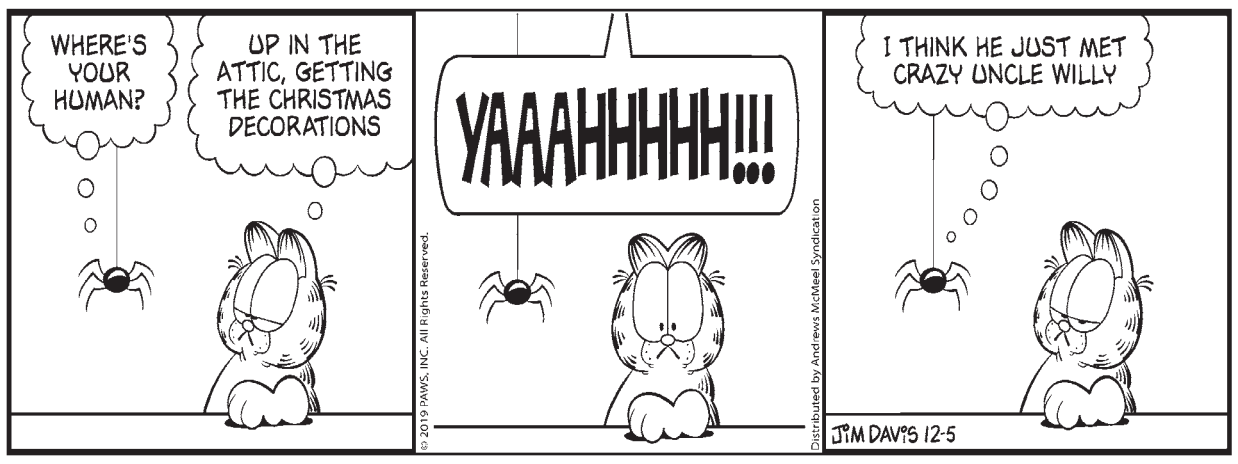
GARFIELD


WHERE'S YOUR HUMAN?
UP IN THE ATTIC, GETTING THE CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS
YAAAHHHHH!!!
I THINK HE JUST MET CRAZY UNCLE WILLY
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CROSSWORD

ACROSS

1 Have a nightmare
6 Applaud
10 Weight units
12 Works hard
14 Perseus' foe
15 Trace element in salt
16 Leather strips
18 Insect killer
19 You, formerly
21 Beg pardon!
23 Kind of humor
24 "Cogito ergo —"
26 Rani's spouse
29 Grain crop
30 Jiffy
32 Long-handled tool
34 Lullaby
36 9-digit ID
37 Teeth-chattering sound
38 Billionth, in combos
40 Raggedy doll
42 Glamorous wrap
43 Kind of chop
45 Vitality
47 Take a mate
50 Elbowroom
52 Singer Frankie —
54 Pinball palace
58 Keep safe
59 Hamster's cousin
60 Fawn's parent
61 Harsh-sounding

DOWN

1 Monastic title
2 Regret deeply
3 Result
4 Sharp, as hearing
5 Nets
6 Less distant
7 Highland youth
8 Grasping
9 Remain undecided
11 — Paulo
12 Show relief
13 TV receiver
17 Son, often
19 Shop for clothes (2 wds.)
20 Scavenging animal
22 Scratch or dent
23 JAMA readers
25 — Nimitz
27 "Star Wars" gangster
28 Ohio city
31 Blitzer's channel
33 Historical period
35 Greenspan stat
39 Kind of tea
41 Less remote
44 Split in two
46 Brand of spandex
47 Fat cat's bundle
48 Nights before
49 Foolish
51 Canine pals do it
53 Grassy field
55 Tummy muscles
56 Scoop
57 English cathedral city

Answer to Previous Puzzle

	F	A	Z	E	S			A	S	H	E	N
G	E	N	E	V	A		C	U	P	O	L	A
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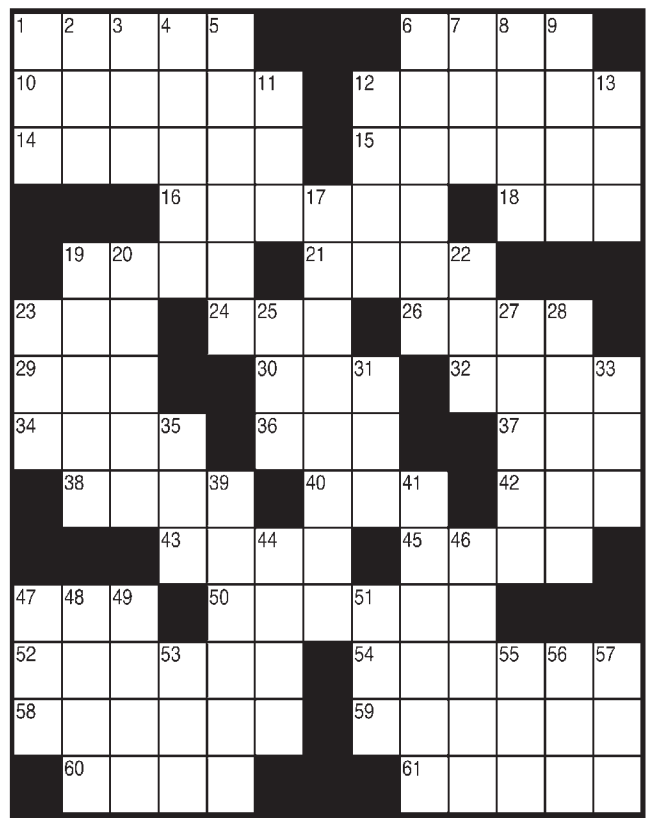

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ACROSS

1 — for the course
4 "— & Clark"
8 CPA's sum
11 Sp. miss
12 Female relative
13 Sunbeam
14 Sonnet writer
15 Pakistan's language
16 Be off base
17 Shade providers
19 Big Dipper neighbor
21 Aah's partner
22 Life story
23 Not chic
26 Swindlers
29 Give it — —
30 "Damn Yankees" vamp
32 Decree
34 Dry riverbed
36 Portuguese lady
38 Bulldogs backer
39 Foul-tasting
41 Prime time hour
43 Familiar digit
44 Use a straw
45 Tut's tomb site
48 Prudishly
52 Before
53 Marathon
55 Blaring
56 Fleming of spydom
57 Tien Shan mountains
58 They give a hoot
59 Gator Bowl site
60 Sketch
61 Dik-dik cousin

DOWN

1 Boat front
2 Ra's symbol
3 Pi and such
4 Make merry
5 Not his and hers
6 Not Dem. or Rep.
7 Atelier
8 Zone
9 Mr. Chagall
10 Rookie
11 Sauna site
18 Playwright — Coward
20 Building part
22 Fiber source
23 Bear's foot
24 Biology gel
25 Ice cream treat
26 Lump of dirt
27 Ukraine's capital
28 Car deal
31 Garfield's canine pal
33 Metal in bronze
35 Gung-ho about
37 Great Wall locale
40 Where to hold your horses
42 Literary postscript
44 Tankard
45 Eric the Red's son
46 Caspian feeder
47 Warrior princess
48 Fraudulent practice
49 Gridiron play
50 Comic strip moppet
51 Fabric meas.
54 Frazier foe

Answer to Previous Puzzle

D	R	E	A	M			C	L	A	P	
O	U	N	C	E	S		S	L	A	V	E	S
M	E	D	U	S	A		I	O	D	I	N	E
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D	R	Y		S	U	M		R	A	J	A	
R	Y	E			S	E	C		R	A	K	E
S	O	N	G		S	S	N			B	R	R
	N	A	N	O		A	N	N		B	O	A
			P	O	R	K		E	L	A	N	
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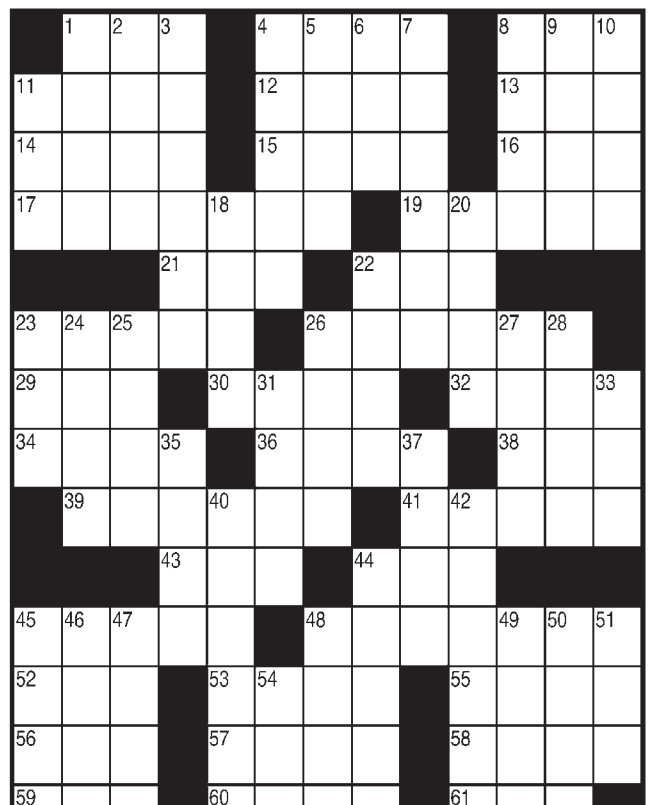

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• Best Bets

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all embrace their inner "elf." The Derby Dinner Playhouse will perform this musical through Dec. 31. For more information, call 812-288-8281 or go to www.derbydinner.com

Christmas in Candyland: When Nick and Noelle receive a special ticket to play Candyland, they are transported to a magically sweet world. Helped along the way by colorful characters like Betty Butterscotch, they work to defeat the selfish Lord Licorice on a journey full of sweet surprises. The Derby Dinner Playhouse Children's Musical Theatre will perform this musical through Dec. 23. For more information, call 812-288-8281 or go to www.derbydinner.com

EXHIBITS

Call for Art: The Madison Art Club announces a "Call for Art" for the first 2020 quarterly rotation of "The Art of Healing" exhibit at the King's Daughters' Hospital in Madison. There is no cost to enter and membership in the Madison Art Cub is not required. The KDH Art Selection Committee chooses 21 pieces of art for a 3-month exhibit on the walls of the KDH Seasons Cafe. A maximum number of three pieces per artist may be submitted. Artwork must be 2-dimensional and suitable for hanging on a wall. Artwork must be hand-delivered to Art on Main by Sunday, Dec. 15 at 4 p.m. The exhibit will run Jan. 6 to April 6. For more information, go to Art on Main or www.madisonartclub.com

The Art of Healing: Selections from 21 pieces of art by regional artists were chosen by a three-panel committee to put artwork in the Seasons Cafe of King's Daughters' Hospital. This quarterly exhibit is through Jan. 6, 2020. Artists selected for this rotation include Debi Black, Joyce Sweet Bryant, Georgia Lee Farr, Bernie Kasper, Sandy King, Pat Newman, Arti Ortega, Joyce Pullias, Brenda Shropshire, Elle Smith, Donna Thompson, Brandy Underwood, Cindy Underwood-Vanderbur, Curt Vanderbur and Linda Wood. For more information, call the Madison Art Club at 812-265-2923 or email artclub.madison.in@gmail.com

The Art of Nature: This exhibit features 14 local and regional artists. Artists selected for this rotation include Belva Lowry, Karen Wohlleb, Debi Black, Jenny Ripley, Sandy King, Elle Smith, Cindi Underwood-Vanderbur, Donna Thompson, Carole Williams, Jim Hunter, Kevin Carlson, Linda Wood, Dottie Shepherd and Wanda Jackson. Art can be purchased at the front desk at the restaurant. For more information, call the Madison Art Club at 812-265-2923 or email artclub.madison.in@gmail.com

MOVIES

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Ballet: The Nutcracker: The Cincinnati Kinderballet one again graces the Hoosier Theatre stage with a performance of "The Nutcracker." This will be performed at 3 p.m. on Dec. 7. Admission is $5.

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Charlie's Angels (PG-13): When a young systems engineer blows the whistle on a dangerous technology, Charlie's Angels are called into action, putting their lives on the line to protect us all. This movie stars Kristin Stewart, Naomi Scott and Ella Balinska. (Runtime 1 hour, 58 minutes)

Doctor Sleep (R): Years following the events of "The Shining," a now-adult Dan Torrance must protect a young girl with similar powers from a cult known as The True Knot. This movie stars Ewan McGregor, Rebecca Ferguson and Kyliegh Curran. (Runtime 2 hours, 32 minutes)

Ford v. Ferrari (PG-13): American car designer Carroll Shelby and driver Ken Miles battle corporate interference, the laws of physics and their own personal demons to build a revolutionary race car for Ford and challenge Ferrari at the 24 hours of Le Mans in 1966. This movie stars Matt Damon, Christian Bale and Jon Bernthal. (Runtime 2 hours, 32 minutes)

Frozen II (PG): Anna, Elsa, Kristoff, Olaf and Sven leave Arendelle to travel to an ancient, autumn-bound forest of an enchanted land. They set out to find the origin of Elsa's powers in order to save their kingdom. This movie stars Kristen Bell, Idina Menzel and Josh Gad. (Runtime 1 hour, 43 minutes)

Playing with Fire (PG): A crew of rugged firefighters meet their match when attempting to rescue three rambunctious kids. This movie stars John Cena, Keegan-Michael Key and John Leguizamo. (Runtime 1 hour, 36 minutes)

Teachers deserve patience and respect from parents

Annie Lane

Dear Annie: I am a teacher in a small town in New England. When I began my job, I thought it was the best job in the world. I spent a lot of time, money and effort to learn the skills to become an effective teacher, and I couldn't think of a better way to give back to my community.

Fast-forward a few years. Most teachers work very hard to plan quality lessons and to make sure that students are making progress in school, but the lack of basic respect in return is severely lacking. The worst of it doesn't come from students. It's hard to believe the appalling behavior from parents that school staff is expected to tolerate.

One recent incident really bothered me. A parent was upset because her child was not getting an A in a certain class. She named the teacher on a public chatroom and invited negative comments! Fortunately for the brilliant, wonderful and respected teacher, several community members came to their defense and let the poster know that her post was inappropriate.

Parents who post such negative comments never tell the other side of the story: that their child has many missing assignments, poor behavior or poor attendance. Often, the information they post is completely false. This type of behavior seems to be getting worse every year.

If parents have a legitimate concern about their child, they should call or email the teacher and have a conversation. If they want more information or further discussion, they should ask for a meeting and discuss their concerns civilly.

Yelling at school staff, defending your child's disrespectful or unsafe behavior, making threats and publicly posting your displeasure about school staff online is inappropriate and unacceptable. I can't imagine how these parents would feel if someone posted publicly about their child like this. — A Little Respect, Please

Dear A Little Respect: You deserve a lot of respect for your profession. Teaching is one of the most important jobs in our nation, so thank you for your service. You are shaping our youth and preparing them for the real world. These parents are way out of line and should know they are potentially hurting their children.

One of the most important lessons a parent and teacher can impart to their children and students is that mistakes are opportunities to try better the next time. This teaches kids resilience and helps them develop their self-esteem.

The goal is for every student to develop a growth mindset as opposed to a fixed mindset. These terms are from Stanford psychologist Carol Dweck, who says that when a student has a fixed mindset, they believe that their basic abilities, intelligence and talents are fixed traits, while students with a growth mindset believe their abilities and intelligence can be developed with effort, learning and persistence.

In a growth mindset, you believe a lasting relationship comes from effort and working through inevitable differences. In a fixed mindset, it's all about the outcome. If you fail, you think all effort was wasted. Those with a growth mindset know it's all about the process, so the outcome hardly matters.

If the parents try to rescue their children every time they don't get an A or don't make the team, they aren't helping their child. In fact, they're sending their children the message that they aren't capable of succeeding on their own.

Badmouthing a teacher on a public forum is one of the most tasteless and harmful things I have ever heard about. I am very sorry for your friend and glad that other people came to their defense. I hope this letter helps parents think twice before they swoop in to try to fix their children's inevitable imperfections.

"Ask Me Anything: A Year of Advice From Dear Annie" is out now! Annie Lane's debut book — featuring favorite columns on love, friendship, family and etiquette — is available as a paperback and e-book. Go to http://www.creatorspublishing.com for more information. Send your questions for Annie Lane to dearannie@creators.com.

BIRTHDAYS

December 5, 2019

- Ashlee Hafer
- Shayna Terry Yount

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